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Cemetery And Building By-laws Amended By Village Council

New Schedule of Rates Set —Application Received For Rental of Local Theatre

Four municipal bylaws were given their several readings and passed at the regular monthly meeting of the Village Council on Monday night. Reeve J. V. Holt presided and he was supported by Councillors K. Ray, W. L. Pollock, J. Wright and C. A. Wells.

Bylaw No. 581 to fix schedule of fees for services in Stirling Cemetery, set the following rates:

6-grave plots, $30, plus $100 perpetual care; 3-grave plots, $20 and $60 perpetual care; 2-grave plots, $15 and $40 perpetual care; 1-grave plot, $10 and $20 perpetual care. The fee for opening graves: May 1st to October 1st, $15; October to April, $25; children under 6 years, half charge; ashes, $5.00; and vault, $5.00.

Estimate $8,000

Expenditure On Streets

Bylaw No. 582 was passed for an expenditure of $8,000 on the Village Streets, $3,000 in construction and $5,000 for maintenance. A breakdown listed $1,500 for construction on roads and $1,500 on bridges and culverts; $4,400 for maintenance of roads and $600 for maintenance of bridges and culverts.

Bylaw No. 584 was passed naming Frank Sprentall as trench inspector for the village.

A supplementary building bylaw, No. 520A, was passed, amending the fees for building permits as follows: Repairs to building $1000, fee $2.00; two to three thousand, $3.00; over three thousand, $5.00. New construction valued at $2,000, fees $2.00; three thousand, $5.00; five thousand, $5.00; ten thousand, $7.50; over ten thousand, $10.00.

The matter of fees for the Building Inspector was left in abeyance until next Council meeting.

Don Tucker, dog catcher, stated he had received several complaints about stray dogs, and a cross dog. On motion of Councillors Wells and Wright, the Clerk was instructed to write the owner of the cross dog and ask him to dispose of it.

An application for a building permit to erect a new home 52½ ft. by 29½ ft. on the south side of Front St. W., was tabled from Don Tucker.

Wants To Rent Theatre

Wm. Collinson, of Peterborough, waited on Council relative to renting the Stirling Theatre. If he could rent it, he would run a show 4 nights a week and a Saturday matinee, stated Mr. Collinson. He also proposed to have a candy and pop corn booth in the theatre lobby. The matter will be considered by Council.

A letter was tabled from the Ontario Department of Planning and Development offering assistance to the municipality in planning. On motion of Coucillors Ray and Wells, the Clerk was instructed to write Hon. Wm. Nickle, Minister of Planning and Development, thanking him for his offer of assistance.

A communication from the C.N.R. authorized the municipality to erect a sidewalk on the east side of North Street at the C.N.R. crossing.

Request To Close Portion of Street

Burton Woodbeck addressed Council asking that that portion of Nancy Street which crosses his property be closed, and expressed his willingness to purchase same. After some discussion Councillors Wright and Ray moved that the Clerk write the Municipal World for information on what legal steps would have to be taken in the matter.

Councillor Wright stated he had received a request from J. Irish to have a tree, which was causing damage to his veranda, cut down; also a request from Don Williams for permission to put oil on the portion of John St. parallel to his parking lot to lay the dust.

The cutting of the tree was left with the Streets Committee, while Council suggested Mr. Williams use calcium chloride rather than oil.

Daylight Saving

On motion of Councillors Wells and Ray, Daylight Saving will be in force in Stirling from April 28th to October 27th, 1957, to conform with surrounding municipalities.

The following accounts were presented for payment.

Wm. Bowen, $11.25; Sam McCrory, $3.00; W. Fowler, $11.25; Chas. F. Davidson, $6.00; Stirling Theatre, $75.00; W. Brooks $45.00; John Hamilton, $11.25; J. A. Osterhout, $24.07; Don Tucker, $8.00; W. Sinclair, $21.00; Bell Telephone, $6.90; Municipal World, $9.43; E. D. Ketcheson, $278.00; County of Hastings, $42.00; S. A. Eggleton, $13.00; Lake Ontario Development Association, $89.39; Stirling Lumber Co., $3.50; Hastings Sheet Metal, $12.00.

Plans Made For June Flower Show

An executive meeting of the Horticultural Society was held on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Ashley Brooks. Plans were made for a flower show and tea. There will be slides from the Holland Bulb Gardens of actual pictures taken in Holland of the famous bulb fields, windmills and other interesting places. Watch your local paper for further particulars as to the place and date.

It is time again to renew your membership in the Society in order to receive your premiums. Get in touch as soon as possible with the Secretary, Mrs. A. Brooks, or one of the following committtee: Mrs. P. Bronson, Mrs. M. McGuire, Mrs. R. Williams, Mrs. James Chambers or Mrs. Floyd Armstrong.

Fraternal Visit

Some twenty-five members of Stirling Lodge, No. 69, A.F. & A.M., paid a fraternal visit to Corinthian Lodge, No. 101, Peterborough, on Tuesday night. During the evening the officers of Stirling Lodge conferred a degree on a number of candidates.

To Appear On Kingston T.V

Miss Barbara Woodbeck, Stirling, will appear on TV over station CKWS, Kingston, on Wednesday next, April 20th, at 3.15 p.m., with the Barbara Diment School of the Dance, Belleville.

I.O.D.E. Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Honorable J. R. Cooke Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held at the home of Mrs. David Duffin on Thursday last.

The Regent, Mrs. Herb Wood, presiding, opened the meeting with the prayer of the Order, and our country's flag was brought forward.

Th minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, after which correspondence was read. The Treasurer's report was given, showing a substantial balance to date. Mrs. Ray Mallory's resignation from the Order was accepted with regret.

At the request of some of the members, Miss Rosa Spry compiled and read a paper of the life history of the Honorable J. R. Cooke, which was both interesting and educational.

Mrs. David Duffin was chosen as delegate to the Provincial Annual at Hamilton on April 10th, 11th and 12th at the Royal Connaught Hotel. Several other members are also planning to attend.

Mrs. Bruce Bell started a series entitled "Canada Our Commonwealth" for Empire study.

Honorary Regent

Mrs. H. C. Martin has agreed to serve as Honorary Regent of the Chapter.

The Fashion Show proved to be a great success financially and otherwise.

Several members of the Chapter are planning to attend the Anniversary Tea in Campbellford on April 6th. The business portion of the meeting ended with the singing of "God Save the Queen."

The remainder of the evening was turned over to the programme convener, Mrs. Russell West. Tables of euchre and bridge were enjoyed by the members and prizes were given for high and low scores.

A very tasty lunch was served, after which Mrs. Ed. Warren moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Duffin and the committee.

Glen Anderson Top Man In Dairy Class Examinations At K.A.S.

Scores 84.3% In General Proficiency And Highest In Buttermaking in Class of 13

Glen Anderson, of Stirling, an employee of Stirling Creamery Limited, was top man in the final examinations for dairy course students at the Kemptville Agricultural School. He scored first class honours, while his brother, Ross Anderson, also of this village, won second class honours.

Glen was also highest in general proficiency, with 84.3%, and highest in buttermaking.

Dinner Thursday Night Last

Mr. F. J. Reynolds, President of the National Dairy Council of Canada, addressed the students and staff at a dinner on Thursday evening, March 28th, marking the end of the 1957 K.A.S. Dairy course. Mr. Reynolds described some of the challenges which faced workers in the dairy industry today, and suggested how dairy employees could train themselves for better positions.

Of the 13 students attending this year's session, twelve were successful in the final examinations. The following is the list of graduates:

First Class Honours — Glen Anderson, Stirling; A. R. Lott, Tamworth; J. L. Genier, Crysler.

Second Class Honours — R. P. Meilleur, Embrun; P. L. Mesman, Cornwall; Philippe Hebert, Crysler; A. L. Van Bruggan, Delta; D. E. LeBlanc, Summerstown; Ross D. Anderson, Stirling; J. A. Pelletier, Pembroke.

Pass Standing — O. Piche, Marionville.

A generous donation from the Montreal Provision Trades Association permitted prizes to be awarded for high standings in the major subjects, as well as in the judging of dairy products. First prize winners were as follows:

Highest in General Proficiency, G. Anderson, 84.3%; Highest in Buttermaking, G. Anderson; Highest in Cheese Manufacture, P. Hebert; Highest in Dairy Science, A. R. Lott; Highest in Market Milk, Concentrated Milk and Dairy Mechanics, J. L. Genier; Highest in Milk Testing, R. Meilleur; Highest in Cheese Grading, P. Hebert; Highest in Cream Grading, P. L. Mesman; Highest in Milk Grading, A. L. Van Bruggan.

The Lawrason Trophy awarded by the S. F. Lawrason and Company Ltd., of London, Ontario, to the student showing the best attitude toward dairy work, was won by Philippe Hebert, of Crysler, Ontario.

138th Anniversary of Oddfellowship Commemorated By Stirling Lodge

Rev. G. Whitehorne Shows Films — Program of Musical and Dance Numbers

In commemoration of the 138th anniversary of the organization of the Independent Order of Oddfellows on this continent, the officers and members of Stirling Lodge No. 239, entertained their ladies and friends last Friday night at their annual "Thos. Wildey" entertainment. Some two hundred and fifty were in attendance at the I.O.O.F. Hall and enjoyed a programme, followed by refreshments and dancing.

Chas. Carter, D.D.G.M., acted as master of ceremonies and welcomed the large gathering on behalf of the officers and members.

Rev. Gordon Whitehorne, of Campbellford, minister on the Seymour Circuit, showed two films depicting scenes at the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto, the floral display at the Winter Fair, the Ice Follies in Maple Leaf Gardens, Campbellford's 50th anniversary, Campbellford's Cadet Inspection, and Albert College Graduation.

Two tap dance numbers were given by pupils of Miss Barbara Woodbeck, of Stirling, with Miss Grace Heasman as accompanist. The first number was by little Connie Donohoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Donohoe; Vickey Hay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hay, and Ann Morton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morton; and the second number by Brenda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell; Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pryor, and Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Woodbeck.

Rawdon Quartette, Messrs. Lorne, Craig and Glenn Watson, and Ralph Johnson, sang several numbers, accompanied by Miss Betty McConnell, and Mrs. Percy MacMullen gave several readings.

Duets were also rendered by Miss Heather Rodgers and X. P. Mayhew, with the latter playing the guitar accompaniment.

Presentation 25-Year-Jewel

The presentation of a 25-year veteran's jewel to Chas. Carter, was made by R. E. Fox, Grand Patriarch of Ontario, who paid tribute to the years of outstanding service given to Oddfellowship by Mr. Carter. In voicing thanks for the gift, Mr. Carter spoke of the many fine friendships and associations he had enjoyed because of being an "Oddfellow" and thanked all for their co-operation and kindness.

Ken Ray voiced the appreciation of Stirling Lodge to all who had assisted in the evening's programme, after which refreshments were served in the dining hall.

The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

Local and Personal

Mrs. W. J. Whitty, Peterborough, called on friends in Stirling on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warren and Mrs. James Warren, Harrowsmith, on Sunday. Mrs. Warren remained until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conley and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson, attended the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Charles Woodley, in Lindsay on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Sutton and two children, Judy and Paul, of Oshawa, were guests of Mrs. Sutton's mother, Mrs. Margaret Palmer, and aunt, Mrs. S. Leonard, on Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Rowan Walker and Mark and Sharon Ann, of Willowdale, were guests of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. V. Walker last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Montgomery are spending this week-end in Toronto where Mr. Montgomery is attending the Annual Construction Division Convention of the Ontario Hydro Commission, which is being held in the ing Edward Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Murney Johnston and Duane of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher, of Mount Pleasant; Mrs. Janie Sine and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thompson, of Stirling, attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jeffrey, of Belleville, on Wednesday night, March 27th.

Trent Valley District Scout Leaders Make Plans For Summer Activities

Denton Shortt To Represent District At Valley Forge Met At High School —

The Trent Valley District Scout meeting was held in the Stirling High School on Wednesday evening, April 3rd.

Mr. Parnell, Havelock, President of the District, was in the chair and Mr. Harold Hunter, also of Havelock, Secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting and gave the financial report. Reports from each town were given, showing all groups active in Scouting.

J. Irish, of Stirling, spoke on a tree planting project to be held at O'Hara's Mills in May and the Secretary was asked to write Mr. Chubb for more details.

Cub Field Day

The Cub Field Day which is to be held on May 25th at Warkworth was discussed and the Scout Camporee which will be held at Campbellford, either on June 22nd or 29th, according to when the Queen Scout ceremony is held at Port Hope.

A Bronze Arrowhead will be held in Havelock on April 26th and 27th. Mr. Jackson will be in charge on the first day and J. Irish the second.

Denton Shortt To Represent District

The American Jamboree was discussed and it was decided that Denton Shortt, of Stirling, would represent the District at Valley Forge in July. Mr. and Mrs. Irish are also attending the Jamboree.

Mr. Jackson, Field Commissioner, spoke to the group on the role of the Group Committee.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Irish, Mrs. Woodbeck, Mrs. Wilkins and Mrs. Harding.

The next District Meeting will be held in Marmora on September 11th.

Groups from Warkworth, Havelock, Norwood, Marmora, Campbellford and Stirling attended the meeting.

Has Operation

Stirling and district friends of Rev. A. E. Baker, of Toronto, will regret to learn that he underwent an operation for partial amputation of his left hand in Toronto General Hospital on Tuesday. The latest report is that he is progressing favourably.

"At Home"

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lloyd, Wellington, will be "at home" to their friends and neighbours on Wednesday, April 10th from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary.

Stick Autographed By Boston Bruins

John Noble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Noble, is the proud possessor of a hockey stick bearing the autographs of members of the Boston Bruins, currently engaged in the Stanley Cup play-offs. The stick was forwarded to John this week by Ross Dowsell, a member of the Sarnia Golden Bears O.R.F.U. Football Club.

Rotary Officers

H. C. Bird, local grocer, is the incoming President of the Stirling Rotary Club, following the election of officers held recently. Other officers are Past President, Geo. Noble; Vice-President, Carl Bateman; Secretary, Geo. Lyons; Treasurer, Al Francis; Directors, R. L. Hatton, Stan Meeks, Earl Fox and Wm. Webber.

Energetic Bowling

The standing up to March 29th in the Ladies' Energetic Bowling league is as follows: Woodpeckers, 99; Parrots, 92; Canaries, 82, and the Hummingbirds, 81.

High single of the week went to Evelyn Sleeper, 241 and high triple went to Phil Sheridan, 637.

In the March 22nd games Verna Woodbeck rolled the high single and triple with scores of 235 and 567 respectively.

Euchre Party Held At Eggleton School

The final euchre party for the season was held on Friday night at Eggleton School with some 40 in attendance. There were 6 tables in play with the winners as follows:

Ladies' high, Mrs. Gordon Burrell; ladies' low, Miss Norma Woodcox; men's high, Harold Hollinger; men's low, Milton Reid. The lone hand prize was won by Miss Norma Woodcox.

Games of crokinole were also enjoyed by several present.

Mrs. Milton Reid was celebrating a birthday so a lovely cake made by Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker, Stirling, and decorated with candles, was brought in, and all joined in singing "Happy Birthday."

Conveners for the evening were Mr. Raymond Chambers and Mr. Harry Clarke. A vote of thanks was given to all those who assisted in making the evening a success.

Business Meeting Stirling Legion

Report On Arena Building Fund Presented — Amendments To Act Discussed

The regular business meeting of Branch 228 Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., was held in the Legion Room on Tuesday night, April 2nd, with Cde. Ross Kirn in the chair.

Reports from Service Officer Cde. Rev. A. Packman and Chairman of Finance Committee Arena Fund, Cde. Geo. Noble, gave rise to some interesting discussion on both these matters. The qualifying regulations regarding pensionable cases and the amendments to the Act now before the House at Ottawa came under some critical comment.

The financial report of the Arena Fund covers the canvas last year and the cost of work done. Stirling Legion has spent close to $1000.00 in cash and as much again probably in labour.

Appreciation of the interest and help given by the community at large to this important project, has been already expressed by the Arena committee. However special thanks are due to the following groups for donations: Ivanhoe W.I. and River Valley W.I.

At this point Public Relations Officer, Cde. F. Houchin, paid a sincere tribute to the publisher of the local weekly newspaper, stating that the most friendly co-operation had always been extended to the Legion in freely publicising any and every community project they undertook. He said that such publicity was hard to put a price on, but it came high.

That the community benefited considerably during the past winter because a greatly improved and well run rink was available for hockey and skating, goes without saying. But there is still much to be done, the need for funds still urgent, and the account is still open. Any who were not contacted in the canvas and who wish to donate see Cde. Geo. Noble.

The draw for the outboard motor and clock radio takes place this month. Don't be out of this.

Community Arena Building Fund

Receipts

By public donation	$2267.74
Older Boys and Midget Hockey Game gate receipts	52.25
Total	$2219.99

Expenditures

Wages and Materials	$3171.27

Balance of expenditures after public donations paid in full by Legion Rink Account, $951.28.

Records may be seen on request.

Streets Washed

The streets in the business section of the Village were given their spring bath yesterday afternoon. A number of the business men and Fire Chief R. E. Fox handled the job.

- COMING EVENTS -

MINSTREL SHOW, AUSPICES ST. Paul's Sunday School, Thursday, April 18th at 8.30 p.m. at the Stirling Community Hall. Proceeds in aid of the new Sunday School Hall. Tickets: Adults 75c; children 50c. 13-3

ANNUAL MASONIC LADIES' NIGHT auspices Stirling Lodge No. 69, A.F. & A.M., will be held in the Stirling Community Hall on Wednesday, April 17th at 7.00 p.m.

LILAC TEA AND SALE OF HOME Cooking, auspices St. Andrew's Club, in St. Andrew's Church Parlours, on Thursday, May 23rd, 2.30 to 5 p.m. 14-1

ANNUAL DIVINE SERVICE STIRling Lodge No. 239, I.O.O.F., and Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, will be held at St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, on Sunday, April 14th at 3.00 p.m. Brethren please meet at the Lodge Hall on Charlotte St. at 2.30 p.m. Visiting Rebekahs and Oddfellows invited.

LENTEN SUPPERS — ST. JOHN'S Parish Hall. Fish and Chips. Friday, March 8th and every Friday until April 12th at 6.00 p.m. Orders for outside delivery must be in by 4.30 p.m. Phone 2110. Admission: Adults 75c; Public School students, 50c; Outside orders, 60c minimum.

Fire Destroys Barn In Rawdon

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed a large L shaped barn of Burton White on the 8th Concession of Rawdon Township on Sunday afternoon, while scores of people stood by helplessly and watched it burn. There is no fire protection in the Township.

The barn, said to be one of the finest in the district, measured 100 feet by 45 feet along the long arm of the L and 20 by 30 feet along the short leg. A drive shed and a silo attached to the barn were also destroyed, along with about $2,000 worth of farm machinery, ten cows, a team of horses, 20 pigs, 8 calves, a bull, 50 chickens, 300 bushels of oats and about 300 bales of hay. Mr. White said Sunday he expected the total loss to amount to about $27,000, only part of which was covered by insurance.

It was the second fire at the barn within a week. A small blaze was discovered last Wednesday, but neighbours managed to extinguish it before any serious damage resulted. Mr. White said he thought defective wiring might be the cause.

The White family were burned out at Detlor about seven years ago. Shortly after the fire they moved to the Rawdon Township farm. There are five in the family: Mr. White, his wife, besides a son, Leonard, 8, and two daughters, Marilyn, 6 and Kathy, aged one and one-half years.

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Mount Pleasant

Mr. Percy White, Brantford, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and family.

Larry and Lorraine Jeffs have a baby brother, born at the General Hospital, Belleville, on Monday, April 1st.

Just recently Mr. Lindsay McKeown, Superintendent of the Sunday School, sponsored a discussion group for the various teachers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. McKeown. A similar meeting was held on Tuesday evening, April 2nd at Mount Pleasant Church Hall for the Sunday School teachers of the Circuit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson and Mr. and Mrs. Will Potts enjoyed a birthday supper Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Watson, Burnbrae.

Mr. G. F. Spencer returned home from the General Hospital, Belleville, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Sid Demorest, Mr. Demorest, and family, Marmora, on the occasion of her birthday.

Mr. Lorne White and his sister, Mrs. Marguerite McMullen, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Galloway, Trenton.

Petty Officer One, Carman Reid, Mrs. Reid and daughters, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams. The Reid's are being transferred to Halifax next week.

Mrs. Herbert Smith will be hostess for the Easter meeting on April 10th at 2 p.m., with Mrs. Kenneth Weaver in charge of the programme.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp and Bert recently entertained Mrs. Clarence Douglas, Roseanne, Shirley and Mr. Marvin Scott, of White Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rollins to a birthday supper on Friday evening.

Mr. Robert Merrick has sold his store in Stirling to Mr. Ray Post, of Belleville, and the new owner took possession on Monday, April 1st.

A dozen folk from here attended the I.O.O.F. "At Home" at the lodge hall on Friday evening. Misses Betty McConnell and Brenda Campbell and Mrs. Percy MacMullen assisted with the programme.

Miss Bessie McMullen, of Halloway, spent the week-end with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson. On Saturday they with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conley attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Woodley, at Lindsay.

Two-By-Two Club

The Two-By-Two Club held a meeting at the Church Hall on Friday evening. The worship service was in charge of Mrs. James Hoard, assisted by Mrs. Gale Moore and Mrs. Milford Wrightman.

Plans were made to hold a Sunday night meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McConnell in April. The regular church service will be held in June under the direction of the Vice-Presidents.

The entertainment committee under the leadership of Mrs. Eric Summers, provided a crokinole party. The winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Harry McAdam; ladies' low, Miss Janet Fletcher; gent's high, Allen Plewis, gent's low, Jimmie Summers.

At the close a paper bag lunch was served.

W.A. Meeting

Miss Ruth Linn was hostess for the W.A. meeting which was held in the evening with nineteen ladies in attendance.

Mrs. Don Johnson presided and opened with the theme song and prayer. In the business period it was decided to purchase a half-dozen Bibles for the Sunday School classes. The W.A. group also decided to be responsible for the care of the church board and they will be in charge of providing funds for painting and lettering whenever necessary. The board was made in 1950 by Percy MacMullen and donated to the Church. Since that time Mr. and Mrs. MacMullen have been responsible for its upkeep. The extreme cold weather in January played havoc with the paint and several spots peeled off during the winter.

Mrs. W. G. Fletcher was in charge of the devotional, based on Easter. She was assisted by Mrs. John Mulheron and Mrs. Kenneth Weaver. Mrs. Marguerite McMullen contributed a vocal solo. Mrs. James Hoard showed interesting pictures of her recent trip to Florida.

Mrs. Gordon Linn and Ruth served refreshments and all enjoyed a social half hour.

Corneilis Opthof Gets Scholarship

Corneilis Opthof, of Belleville, who won the Rotary Cup in the men's vocal class at the Rotary Club of Eastern Ontario Festival of Music at Kingston, has been offered a three-year scholarship at the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto. He also received a nine-week contract as a vocalist in a Toronto church.

What Others Say !

WHY TV FEE FOR THE CBC?

(Trenton Courier-Advocate)

Impose is the correct word to describe the proposed $20 fee for television licenses. For imposition is what it would be.

The bureaucrats at Ottawa have created the CBC which come rain or shine must go grimly forward. Acting in competititon with private enterprise, this government operated business which cannot pay its way, wishes to force the people of Canada to subsidize its activities while it competes with private tax-paying radio and television stations.

Since by far the majority of programmes offered on television emanate from the United States, there seems little reason why this monopolistic system should mulct the taxpayer of $20 to support something he had no hand in establishing, is not consulted as to whether it should continue, and in many cases does not want anyway.

If the CBC cannot pay its own way, it should fold up its tents like the Arabs. The unpopular radio license fee was abolished. Now it is suggested that an even more unpopular, bigger and far more unjust fee be assessed against those fortunate enough to own television sets.

It is simply further evidence that the business of government is to govern, not entertain or conduct business enterprises. For as surely as day follows night, nationalized enterprise loses money, and the tax-payer must pay the shot to keep a losing venture in operation. .

If there is one thing this country doesn't need it is television license fees. Small wonder that it is suggested the implementation of such a plan would be deferred until after an election. It should be ditched altogether.

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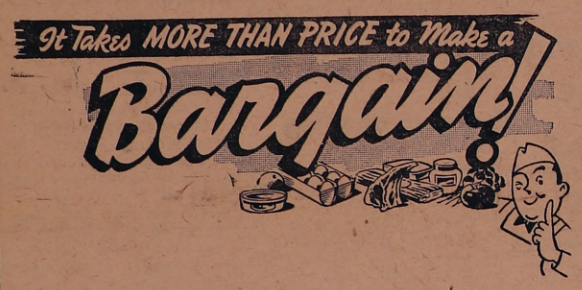
STIRLING FOOD MARKET STIRLING

— Values Thurs., Fri. and Sat., April 4th, 5th and 6th —



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RED PATH WHITE SUGAR 5 lb. bag 55c

3 tins 29c

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Miracle Whip SALAD DRESSING ..... 16 oz. jar 47c

Wagstaffe's STRAWBERRY JAM ... 24 oz. jar 49c

SLICED RED BEETS .... 20 oz. tin 17c

Wethey's CHOICE PEACHES ..... 20 oz. tin 29c

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FRESH BUTTERMILK ..... quart 17c (plus deposit on bottle)

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Tropicano Pure Fresh ORANGE JUICE ..... pint carton 35c

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Aylmer Choice Cream Style CORN ..... 2 20-oz. tins 35c

ROBINHOOD CAKE MIX (FAMILY SIZE) 3 pkgs. $1.00

MAPLE LEAF TEA BISK large pkg. 49c

SHIRRIFF'S GOOD MORNING MARMALADE 24 oz. jar 49c

32 oz. btl. 43c

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ONTARIO TABLE POTATOES ..... 75 lb. bag $1.95

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Sunkist Size 288's NAVEL ORANGES ..... dozen 39c

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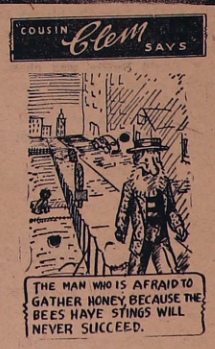

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St. Paul's Notes

(By Rev. A. Packman)

Palm Sunday

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Good Friday

Service at 10.30 a.m. Confirmations.

Sigma-C

This is a growing concern. We meet each Friday at 7.00 p.m. and the boys are keen. Our great concern is to get some keen workers.

Confirmation Class

Will meet on Tuesday in Holy Week at 4.15 p.m.

Shock Treatment

The sermon on Sunday morning pointed up the fact that the human mind is getting accustomed to shock. Too much so. We may have reached the point where nothing shocks us, nothing repells us, nothing disgusts us. It is the point also where we begin to call evil good and good evil.

The past fifty years have brought shock after shock — something like a cosmic disturbance has hit our world. It all began four centuries ago when, from the great deeps there surged up terrific forces which were destined to change the world, transform it and revitalize it.

This was called the Renaissance, it introduced the age of learning.

Alas, with the great increase in knowledge there came what looked like a decrease in faith.

One thing leads to another. New knowledge and new techniques brought to man a sense of independence. There was a time when the farmer, for instance, worked and lived on faith. He now takes out an insurance policy and works by luck and by God and this means in turn not that man has lost his faith, but rather that he is now putting his faith in wrong things.

Indeed, the objects of man's faith are as numerous as the bottles in a chemist's shop.

This is our danger. Not that we have lost our faith, but that our faith is in things that cannot save us.

It will probably take some more shocks to bring us to our senses, in which case, we may be brought back to God.

Parasites

That a certain tree, which to my mind looks very beautiful is going to die fills me with sorrow. Alas, I can do nothing about it. The process of killing has been going on for too long and the poor thing is half dead right now.

I have watched the evil thing working on it. It just clings to it and will not let go, soon another branch which once sprouted beautiful buds and bore coloured leaves will die. That it will be the begining of the end for the parasite as well is small comfort.

This thing has proven an object lesson for the wise in past ages and might well speak to us a truth about life.

The parasite, making no contribution whatever to the life of the tree drains off all the life in the tree.

There are people like that, they just drain all the life out of you — people who keep you eternally busy doing for them yet never doing a thing for you. That is the way many treat their Church, they live the life of the paracite.

Often also I have seen this same thing in society and even in homes. There are those who would have the whole community ministering to them, attending to them, fussing around them, entertaining them and listening to their never ending babble, and I have pittied those whose life has been drained out of them by others often better able to shift for themselves.

Tail Piece

Uncle Louis, caught in a netty situation recently quickly shifted his position to ease his feet.

Indited for having interferred with a T.V. programme by writing a letter, he said the remarks of the broadcaster, a certain professor had been discourteous in saying that "Canada" meaning, of course, the Government, "did not like burning its little feet." Took to task about this in the House of Commons, Uncle Louis shifted to the complaint that he did not like the English Accent of the speaker.

I rather imagine Uncle's French would give a Parisian a jolt too. But that's no reason why they should be rude to him, or he rude about another's accent.

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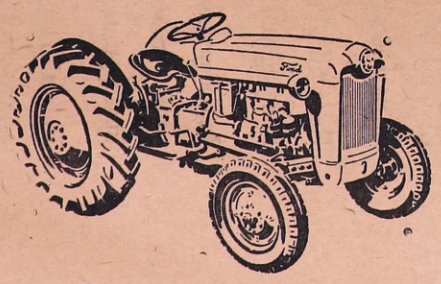

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Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Webb Celebrate 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Webb, Bonarlaw, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Sunday, March 31st, at their home.

Over one hundred friends and neighbours called to congratulate them. The home was decorated with spring flowers and cards and a lovely decorated table centred with the wedding cake and candelabra.

Several lovely gifts were received by Mr. and Mrs. Webb, including a lovely radio by their family.

An address was read by Fred Bateman and Byron Seeley made the presentation of a lovely table lamp from the members of L.O.L. No. 442, Springbrook, of which Mr. Webb was a valued member for many years.

Mrs. E. Sine presented Mrs Webb with a lovely pin on behalf of the Springbrook W.A. members.

Springbrook W.I. members gave Mrs. Webb a bouquet of spring flowers. Mrs. Webb is a charter member of the W.I. Flowers were also received from Mr. L. Mumby and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wood and Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Beare.

Congratulatory messages were received from the Queen, the Provincial Secretary, Progressive Conservative Leader John Diefenbaker, Leslie Frost Prime Minister of Ontario; Geo. White, M.P., and Mrs. White, and E. Sandercock, M.P.P., and Mrs. Sandercock, who also called during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb were married March 31st, 1897 at the home of the bride's father, W. T. Y. Lidster, at Crookston, by Rev. Geo. Nickle, Pastor of the Ivanhoe Circuit. Mrs. E. Bateman, the bridesmaid of sixty years was present for the anniversary. Mr. Geo. Webb was the groomsman, who has passed away.

Mr. Webb was born on the farm he still resides on, and has lived there all but two years of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb have two children, Gordon, on the homestead, and Mrs. Clarence (Nellie) Barnum, of Campbellford, and three grandchildren.

Lunch was served by Mrs. G. Webb, Mrs. Barnum and Rosemary Webb.

All join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Webb many happy returns of the day.

Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. John Rainie and Miss Emma Rainie, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bristoll and Miss Maribeth Bristoll to Toronto on Saturday and were guests at a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Totton in honor of Mrs. W. B. Totton's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pellow and Sharon, of Hybla, spent the week-end with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott spent a few days the past week with Mrs. Jack Hutcheon and boys, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bush and children, of River Valley, were tea guests Sunday with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mrs. Harold McCracken, of Roseneath, and Mr. Milford Macklin, of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Graham, of Belleville, were Sunday guests with Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pellow and Sharon and Mrs. Charles Dunham were tea guests Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bailey, Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Teal and children, of Colbourne, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton.

Farmer's Union Locall No. 171

The March meeting of Local 171 of the Farmer's Union, Springbrook, was held in the L.O.L. Hall with an attendance of 40. The Vice-President, Charles Gordanier, had charge of the meeting.

The meeting opened with the singing of the National Anthem, accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Sine. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. The financial statement was given and the correspondence given.

A short programme followed. Mrs. W. H. Heath gave a piano solo Mrs. Kenneth Tompkins sang a solo, "Galway Bay." Irish melodies were given as a piano solo by Mrs. F. Beckett. Frank Cosbey sang a solo and Mrs. James Spry gave piano music. Mrs. G. Williams gave clippings and information in regard to Union activities.

A discussion followed which proved very informative.

Officers Elected

The election of officers for 1957 took place under the leadership of Frank Cosbey as follows:

President, Morton Reid; Vice-President, Charles Gordanier; Secretary-Treasurer, George Williams; Committee, Glenn Sine, Ken Tompkins, Mrs. Frank Cosbey and Mrs. Chas. Gordanier; Lunch Committee, Mrs. J. Spry and Mrs. C. W. Sine; Press Reporter, Mrs. G. Williams..

Lunch was serveyd by the ladies and a social time spent.

Spring

The brook is flowing on it's way
Murmuring I have no time to stay,
The winds are every day at play
They blow the ice out to the bay.

The birds have now begun to sing,
The sky lark's on his merry wing
And clouds have left the wintry sky,
Soon baseballs will commence to fly

The robin is in the apple tree
And boats will be on the sunny sea;
The grass and trees are greener too,
The skies are even a prettier blue.

The snow drops all have been in bloom,
The trillium will be here so soon,
It's nearly sixty degrees by noon,
Gone away is the winter gloom.

The weeds upon the grassy yard
Have just begun to grow;
The ice is no more very hard,
Cause spring is here you know.

Spring is here, you can tell it,
Spring is here, and we all love it;
Spring is here, new clothes we're buying.
Spring is here, there's no denying,
Spring is here, Spring is here,
Spring is here.

— Judy Cooney, Allan School

Minto

St. Thomas W.A. held a dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. W. J. Tanner on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jeffrey, of Belleville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman on Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Scott spent the tea hour Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Thompson and family.

Mrs. Anne Reide, of Belleville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Vance.

Mr. Burton Heagle returned home on Sunday having undergone an operation in Belleville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tanner, Miss Edna Tanner, Mr. Clare Tanner and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner, attended the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb, of Bonarlaw, on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Hagerman and granddaughter, Ruth, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bateman, of Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright and Jack Wood, of Ivanhoe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Warren, of Harrowsmith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colden and Joy were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carman Colden, Springbrook, Sunday.

Doug Bolte, of Stirling, spent the week-end with Grant Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hagerman attended the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jeffrey, Belleville, on Wednesday of last week.

New Industry

Trenton has secured a new and substantial industry reports the Trenton Courier-Advocate.

Definite proof that rumours that have been current for some time had a solid basis in fact was provided recently when the Steenburg Construction Company made application at the Municipal Offices for a permit to build a modern 12,000 square feet plant.

The specifications call for a brick, concrete and steel structure, which is to be located on North Murray Street, just east of the Queensway Hotel, Trenton.

Negotiations for the location of this newest Trenton industry were carried out by ex-mayor Ken J. Couch and A. J. Boorne, manager of the Bank of Commerce.

Spring Sale

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FARMALL "M" — latest model, 12x38 tires
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McCORMICK SUPER "W-4" — used one year, new guarantee
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Sunday Services

At Local Churches April 7th, 1957

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

Stirling —
10.15 a.m.—Church School
11.00 a.m.—Communion Service

West Huntingdon —
2.15 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

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PASSION SUNDAY

Stirling —
8.30 a.m.—Holy Eucharist
Corporate Communion for Woman's Guild
Glen Miller — 11.00 a.m. H.C.
Frankford — 3.00 p.m.
Christ Church, Belleville, choir will sing St. John's Passion, by Handel.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL CHARGE
Rev. Arthur Packman, Minister

St. Paul's —
10.00 a.m.—Church School
Scripturer's Group
Bible Class in the Parsonage
11.00 a.m.—"It's True To Life"
Nursery Church

Carmel —
2.00 p.m.—Church School and Bible Class
2.45 p.m.—Service

Rawdon Pastoral Charge
Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

10.00 a.m.—Bethel, Worship Service
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.15 a.m.—Mount Pleasant, Worship Service
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Wellman's, Worship Service
1.30 p.m.—Sunday School

GRACE CHAPEL

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY
— SERVICES —

Sunday —
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

TWO WEEKS' SPECIAL SERVICES
EVANGELIST E. MARTIN

Ivanhoe

Mr. Jas. Benson, of North Acton, and Mr. Darwin Benson, of Brockville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson.

Mrs. John Wright and Miss Margaret Wright, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright, of Bloomfield, on Sunday.

Miss B. M. Fleming returned to her home Saturday from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Hamm, at Toronto.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Twiddy were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lewis, Madoc; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Holland, Crookston; Mr. and Mrs. W. Burkitt, Tom and Bobby, Deseronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Gaynor Rendell and Billie, Deseronto.

Mrs. Arnold Creaser and baby Dwight, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Twiddy, left on Tuesday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lackey, of Claremont, before returning to their home at Hillside Parsonage.

Mr. Earl McMaster, Larry and David, spent Sunday in Toronto.

Mr. John Gay spent the week-end in Hamilton.

Mr. Bill Gay spent the week-end in Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Thos. Lawson is spending a few days in Belleville.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Teskey and family were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Rollins.

RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Ontario delegates to the 8th Triennial Conference A.C.W.W. in Colombo, Ceylon, in July are: Mrs. Gordon MacPhatter, Owen Sound; Mrs. Gordon Maynard, Unionville; Mrs. George Wilson, St. Mary's; Mrs. Thomas Lemay, Gravenhurst, and Mrs. A. L. Wilson, Kemptville.

Petherick's

Mr. Bill Petherick and Mr. Bob Tinny were among those who took advantage of the bus trip to farms at Beaverton and Oshawa, which was sponsored by the Holstein Breeders Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Kerr and Frances, of Latta, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kerr and family.

Mrs. Rhoda Fry was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fry on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petherick and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnum were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Petherick, of Stanwood, on Sunday.

Harold Sarles, Minto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson.

Mrs. Ernest Irvin and Mrs. Effie MacDonald spent Friday in Toronto. Mrs. Irvin, Provincial Director for Home Economics and Health, attended a meeting of the W.I. at the Royal York Hotel.

Farewell Party

On Friday evening a large gathering of friends and neighbours of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Petherick met in Sentinel Hall to bid them farewell before they left for their new home on English Line and presented them with a chrome table and chairs.

Mr. Alymer Petherick was chairman for the following programme: Piano solo, Donalda Kerr; solo, Barbara Watson, accompanied by Norma Tinny on the piano; piano solo, Karen Ingram; duet, Ellen and Colin Pleugh, accompanied by Kay Ingram; quartet, Earline Kerr, Barbara Watson, Darlene and Barbara Burkitt; piano solo, Beverley Linn; accordion music, by Claire Irwin; piano solo, by Norma Petherick.

The address to Mr. and Mrs. Petherick was read by Maurice Brunton, after which Mr. and Mrs. Petherick expressed their appreciation for the kindness show them and thanked all for the lovely gifts.

All joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." Lunch was served and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing with music supplied by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ingram.

Auction Sale

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STIRLING WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The April meeting of Stirling W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Foster, Mill St., on Wednesday, April 10th at 2.00 p.m.

In Memoriam

GRAHAM — In loving memory of my dear husband, Victor H. Graham, who passed away April 9th, 1956.

I have lost my soul's companion
A life linked with my own,
And day by day, I miss him more
As I walk through life alone.
But some sweet day we'll meet again
Beyond the toil and strife,
And clasp each other's hand
In heaven, that happy life.

—Lovingly remembered by his wife, Mildred. 14-1

GRAHAM — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, Victor H. Graham, who passed away April 9th, 1956.

In our hearts your memory lingers,
Sweetly tender, fond and true;
There is not a day, dear father
That we do not think of you.

—Lovingly remembered by Edgar, Eleanor and grandchildren; Glenn and Betty; Eleanor and Freda. 14-1

Birth

HERMISTON — Jack and June Hermiston announce with regret the premature birth of their twin daughter and son (stillborn) at the RCAF Hospital, Whitehorse, Yukon, on March 22nd, 1957.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my relatives, neighbours and friends for their many acts of kindness during by stay in the hospital and since returning home.
14-1p Iris McCurdy

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere "thank you" to all my friends and kind neighbours for cards, gifts and personal calls while in hospital and since my return home. A special thanks to Dr. Cornett.
14-1 Barbara Stapley

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to all my friends, relatives and neighbours for all the kindnesses shown me with flowers, fruit, cards and other gifts while in the hospital and since my return home.
14-1p Jeanette Morrow

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank my relatives, friends and neighours for flowers, gifts and cards sent to me during my stay in Belleville Hospital; a special "thank you" to the blood donors, Mr. John Lanigan and Mr. Milton McGee.
14-1p Wilma Carr

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my relatives who came to call on me; also those that remembered me with flowers, cards, fruit and other gifts during my stay in Belleville General Hospital, and since I returned home. A special "thank you" to Dr. McMullen and Dr. S. Cronk and nurses on First West. Thanks again.
14-1 Mrs. Wm. Geo. Lyons, Frankford

Madoc Junction

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Kirkey, John Madill were recent supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burrell.

Sgt. and Mrs. L. McEachern, of Ottawa, spent a few days at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reide.

Mr. and Mrs. William McMullen were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hermiston, Kingston.

Word was received here that the late Mrs. George Eggleton had passed away Saturday morning at the Belleville Hospital. A large number of friends and relatives from here attended the funeral service held on Monday afternoon at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharpe, Carol, Jean and baby Kathy, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett were supper guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker, of Stirling.

Mr. Peter Reide Honoured On Anniversary

On Sunday morning after Sunday School, members of Eggleton Sunday School, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges, Mrs. Maurice Clancy, Lloyd Clancy, Mrs. Murney Kirkey and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett, called on Mr. Peter Reide, to extend best wishes and also on behalf of Eggleton Sunday School, to present him with a box of fruits and treats.

Mr. Reide, who had celebrated his 86th birthday last Friday, is one of the "Over 80 Club" members, who are remembered by the Sunday School on their birthday.

Mr. Reide had also received several lovely birthday cards from relatives and friends.

Springbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Covenay and family, of Crookston, and Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Forsythe and Shelley, Peterborough, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid and Janet on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel McKeown and family, Seymour, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Don McKeown and family, Foxoboro, were guests at the same home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bradshaw, Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradshaw, Stirling.

Mrs. Jane Murray and Mr. Bill Morton and family, Rylstone, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jeffrey and family, Napanee, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reg McKeown and Bill on Sunday.

Auction Sale

I have been instructed by
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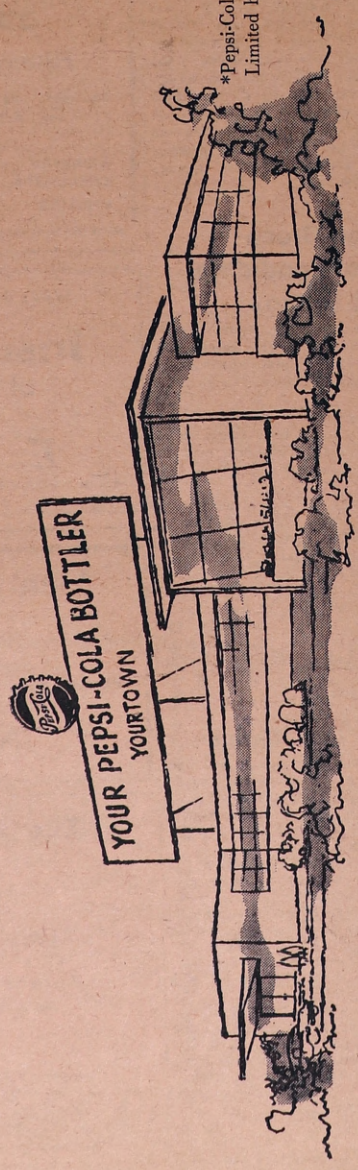

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OF MANY THINGS

(By Ambrose Hills)

ON YOUR SIDE

My daughter, Kathy, in Grade Two at school, came home with eyes aglow the other day, saying, "We chose up sides at school . . . and Susie chose me first!"

Remember the days when the two captains would play hand-over-hand with the baseball bat for first choice of players? And how you waited for your name to be called?

How fond you were of the captain wise enough to want you on his side! How important you felt if chosen first! And how hard you tried to not care at all if yours was the last name to be called.

Life can be beautiful, indeed, if there are people in it who want you on their side. We all need somebody on our side, or, unless we're incurably self-satisfied egoists, every task is grey and dull and difficult.

It is a two-way street, this business of choosing up sides in life. We do not need to form teams to play against other human beings; but we do need to form teams to face the rigors and trials that living imposes upon us all.

The beauty of a fine marriage, for example is based largely upon the spirit of "We two against the world." Man might accomplish his dreams alone, but never with the same ease of satisfaction as when he has a team-mate pulling for him every bit of the way, sharing disappointments and triumphs alike.

The other night I watched the Boston Bruins pull out of a slump in their hockey series. I'd expected their success, because I'd heard a member of their group declare, a few nights previously, that their team spirit, even away from home, had "begun to jell." That, he said, was next best to getting back to the friendly spirit of Boston where the city folks were all pulling for them. .

And there is consolation for even the loneliest of men and women in the sure knowledge that they have a team-mate always available . . . in their own Creator who promised that He would be with them, even unto the end of the world. There is never any need to go it alone. He is ready to be on your side the moment you decide to choose Him!

The Bible Today

(By Rev. C. R. Rudd)

Ghana, a newly born independent and self-governing country within the British Commonwealth of Nations has a well established Christian Church. The total membership is around 400,000 out of a total population of just over 4,000,000.

The whole Bible has been translated into the four main languages of the country. These are Ewe, Fante, Ga and Twi. Gospel portions only have been published in Dagbane spoken in the Northern Territories. Scripture distribution is mainly through Christian bookshops although work of translation and publication is still done by the British and Foreign Bible Society.

The first copy of the Scriptures to reach Ghana, formerly known as the Gold Coast, was probably taken there by an African school teacher coming from Free Town Sierra Leone. This man, Joseph Smith, arrived to open a government school for the training of trading company clerks. Mr. Smith read the Bible to his students regularly.

One of Smith's pupils was perplexed by some of the Scripture truths read in private study. He asked a Bristol sailor, a Captain Potter, to carry a request to England for more copies of the Bible and someone to explain its message.

On January 1st, 1835, Joseph R. Dunwell, the first of a heroic band of missionaries, landed at Cape Coast. His death, due to the rigours of the climate, occurred within six months of that date. His arduous work however, resulted in the establishment of Bible teaching and translation.

The name Ghana is a curious term with which to designate the new country. It was the name of an obscure town. It's exact site is now unknown, but it was probably almost 1000 miles from modern Accra. The fabulously wealthy Kings of Ghana are thought to have ruled the whole area at one time.

Suggested Bible Readings

Sunday — Mark 3: 1-35
Monday — Mark 4: 1-20
Tuesday — Mark 4: 21-42
Wednesday — Mark 5: 1-20
Thursday — Mark 5: 21-43
Friday — Mark 6: 1-29
Saturday — Mark 6: 30-56

Belleville Man Zone Chief

William Bailey, of Belleville, was re-elected commander of Legion Zone F-3 at the annual zone meeting held in Deseronto recently.

Deputy zone commander elected at the meeting was Dr. D. C. McVicker, of Deseronto. Other officers are Harry Fraser, of Deseronto, poppy chairman; M. Keluskey, of Bancroft, membership chairman and B. Reid, Belleville, sports chairman. Len Taylor, of Belleville, was elected to head the public relations committee.

Zone F-3 district includes Picton, Consecon, Wellington, Belleville, Deseronto, Tweed, Marmora, Stirling and Bancroft branches. The meeting was occupied with general business. A buffet luncheon was served.

Kaladar Reeve Winner In Irish Sweepstake

Edward Morley, of Northbrook, Reeve of Kaladar, Anglesea and Effingham Township, and former Warden of Lennox and Addington County, has been awarded one of the Consolation prizes in the Irish Sweepstakes. He received a cable from Dublin, Ireland, stating that he had been the winner of a prize in the draw, entitling him to one hundred pounds sterling, which is approximately $280.00.

Clinton Green Liberal Candidate In P.E. Lennox

Clinton Green, of Salmon Point, Athol Township, is the Liberal candidate in Prince Edward-Lennox for the expected Federal election in June.

He was chosen over six other nominees who let their names stand at the Riding convention held in Napanee, Wednesday night of last week.

Those who let their names stand were Mr. Green, who is president of the Riding's Liberal Association; Harold Lasher, Reeve of Napanee; Erwell Huff, Reeve of Ernestown; Miss Merle Pearsoll, Picton Councillor; Howard Weese, of Ameliasburg, a former Liberal candidate; Dr. Robert Clapp, Picton. Also nominated but withdrawing before the ballating was W. G. McLean, editor of the Picton Times.

Quick Can. Quizz

1. Name the most easterly and most westerly points of land in Canada.
2. A bill involving the spending of public money may be introduced into the House of Commons only by whom?
3. The United States Territory of Alaska was once owned by what other country?
4. In net value of production what industry produces the most wealth in the province of Manitoba?
5. On a per capita basis do Canadians spend more in a year to buy food or to pay taxes?

ANSWERS — 5. Spending on food is only about one-half the amount now spent annually on taxes. 3. Russia. 1. Cape Spear, Nfld.; Mount St. Elias, Yukon Territory. 4. Manufacturing; agriculture has been second to manufacturing since 1953. 2. Only by a Cabinet Minister.

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(Material prepared by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the pocket annual of facts about Canada.)

Friends Honour Newly Weds

The home of Mrs. Victor Graham, Wellman's Corners, was filled when relatives and friends gathered to honour Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Graham on the occasion of their recent marriage.

Fred Beckett acted as chairman. Following a short programme of vocal duets, solos and piano music, an address was read by Mr. Craig Watson. Messrs. James Pollock and James Rainnie made the presentation of a set of chrome table and chairs.

The newlyweds expressed their sincere thanks and the ladies served light refreshments.

Second longest river in eastern Canada, second only to the St. Lawrence, is the Ottawa, nearly 700 miles in length.

Hunt Poisoner of Dogs In Wooler

Police are searching for a poisoner believed to have killed five dogs last week in the Wooler area.

"There is evry indication somebody is killing dogs deliberately" an officer said.

Organs of some the dead animals are being examined.

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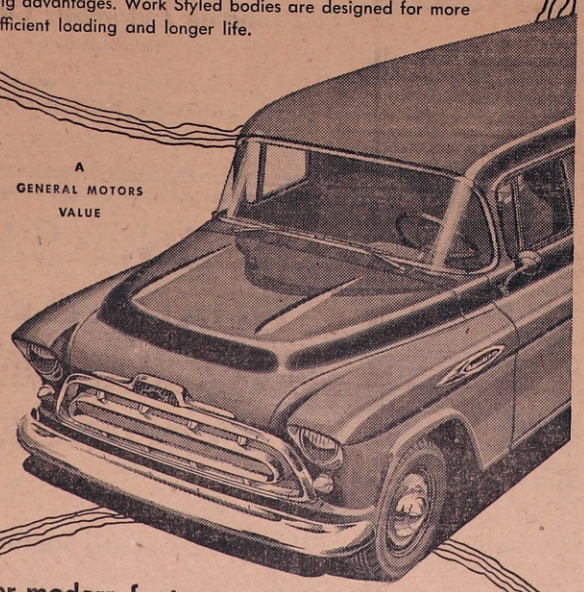

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

MAKING A NEW LAWN

Although the fall is probably the best time of the year at which to make a new lawn, more lawns are made in the spring than at any other time of year, states J. C. Taylor of the Horticulture Department, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

The first essential in making a new lawn is to provide sufficient top-soil on which to grow the grass. Nearly all lawn troubles are due to too thin a layer of top soil, says the O.A.C. authority. Such a layer does not provide sufficient plant food to maintain a good stand of grass, and the result is a thin and weedy lawn. At least five or six inches of top-soil are necessary and more is better.

The top-soil should be spread over the surface to the grade levels. If well rotted manure is available, it improves both the physical condition of the soil as well as the fertility. About one-half ton of manure to 1000 square feet of lawn area is a good application. It should be worked in to the soil.

When manure is not available, rotted leaves or decayed vegetable matter, free of weed seeds if possible, helps the soil. In any case a complete fertilizer containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potash in balanced amounts should be worked in. There are many such fertilizers available from seed and fertilizer dealers.

To prepare the soil for seeding, all stones and debris should be removed by raking in order to get a fine and even surface.

Generally speaking, it is advisable to sow a mixture of grasses rather than a single species of grass. Every mixture, however, should have some Kentucky bluegrass in it. This is the most important lawn grass in Ontario, and if the soil is good and a fair supply of water is available, Kentucky bluegrass will eventually increase and become the dominant grass in the lawn.

For most home lawns, the best plan is probably to buy a mixture already made up. A good "general" mixture is usually satisfactory; "bargain" mixtures should be regarded with reservations. Generally, they contain too many coarse and unsuitable grasses, and although these germinate quickly, the end product is a coarse lawn.

The rate of seeding should be between three and five pounds for every 1,000 square feet of lawn area. More seed than this is not necessary. The best plan is to divide the seed into two equal lots, and then sow one lot in one direction and the other lot crosswise. This will avoid patchy sowing, regardless of whether the seed is sown by hand or by means of a seeder.

After the seed has been sown, the ground should be raked lightly to cover as much of the seed as possible. The raking should be done in one direction only; moving the rake backwards and forwards tends to push the seeds into ridges, and a patchy appearance results. If the area to be seeded is small, the seed may be covered instead with a very light covering of screened top-soil.

When the raking is completed, the area should be rolled. This presses the seeds that are not covered by raking, into the ground, and also firms the soil around the seed.

The newly sown area should next be watered, unless enough rain falls at this time to keep the seed bed uniformly moist. Seed will not germinate if the soil is dry. The watering should not be heavy, or the seed may be washed away. Only a fine spray should be applied. Above all, the soil should not be allowed to dry out.

Some grasses germinate in a week, while others may take as long as three weeks. However, there are usually quick-germinating species in every lawn mixture, and provided the conditions are good for germination, the young grass seedlings should be showing through the soil in a little over a week. In the meantime, the anxious lawn-builder should try to remain patient and keep the seed bed moist.

Plenty of top-soil, good seed, and adequate moisture are the key factors in building a good lawn. Detailed information is available in Ontario Department of Agriculture Bulletin 448, "Lawns," obtainable at the office of the Agricultural Representative or from the Horticulture Department, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

WATERSHEDS OF THE DISTRICT

In the early days of settlement in this area, travel by water formed the easiest means of access and transportation of goods. As a result, settlements developed along the St. Lawrence River, Lake Ontario and the Bay of Quinte. At this time logging operations were reaching back into the interior of the area and the various rivers flowing into the Ottawa River and Lake Ontario were used for driving logs. As the settlers increased, mills were built along many streams where water power was available and in many cases, these sites developed into villages and towns.

Over the years, the development of roads and railways and later hydro power saw the decline of the importance of rivers. Recently, new interest has developed in watershed areas as a means of organizing conservation of our renewable natural resources. Within the district two Conservation Authorities are active, one on the Moira watershed and the other on the Napanee watershed.

A watershed can be defined as: All the area drained into one river system. The boundary is formed by a height of land. The area in the watershed could be very small if a minor creek was being considered, or very large if the whole St. Lawrence River — Great Lakes system was being discussed. The district lies wholly in the St. Lawrence, Great Lakes, Ottawa River System. In the south part of the district all the streams flow into Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence River. The northern part of the district drains into the Ottawa River.

The main rivers in the south are, starting on the west side of the district at the Hastings County boundary, Trent River and it branches which empty into the Bay of Quinte at Trenton; the Moira River which flows through the City of Belleville; the Salmon River at Shannonville; the Napanee River at Napanee, and the Cataraqui River at Kingston. In Prince Edward County and in the small areas between these main rivers there are several minor streams which drain into the Bay of Quinte or Lake Ontario. Tributaries of the Ottawa River which drain the northern part of the district are: the Madawaska River, Bonnechere River, Mississippi River and the Rideau River.

The use of the land within a watershed has an important bearing on the quality and quantity of water in the rivers. Maintaining forest cover on lands suitable only for this purpose and practising soil conservation methods on agriculture soils reduce the fluctuation in stream flow so that Spring flooding is kept to a minimum and summer flow is maintained. With the soil kept in place, streams run clear and are not polluted with silt. Clear water is available for human needs and recreation, such as fishing, is maintained.

THE FOOD BASKET

EASTER EGG CAKE

Have you had time to plan your Easter dessert yet? If not, you'll probably welcome this idea for an Easter Egg Cake from Canada's Kitchen. It's very easy to make, for you start with any kind of a cake, ice it and decorate the top witht a cocoanut nest full of coloured marshmallow "eggs." The children will like it and so will Dad, especially if you use the recipe for his favourite chocolate cake! Here are the details:

Make a square or round cake in the usual way and when it's cool, ice it with pale pink or yellow frosting, or use chocolate frosting if you prefer.

For the nest, tint shredded cocoanut green by shaking it in a jar along with a few drops of green colouring, until the colour is evenly distributed. Then arrange the tinted cocoanut to look like a nest on top of the cake.

To tint marshmallows, pink, yellow and green are nice, use one jar for each colour you want. Into each jar put about 2 tablespoons of sugar, add a few drops of colouring and shake until sugar is evenly tinted. Moisten each marshmallow slightly either by putting it on a fork and holding it over steam, or by dipping it in cold water and placing it on paper towel to absorb the excess moisture. Shake marshmallows, one at a time, in the jars of coloured sugar until they are evenly coated. Let stand on waxed paper until sugar has dried, then pile marshmallow "eggs" in cocoanut nest.

An Easter Egg Cake like this will make a pretty centerpiece for your Easter table — until dessert time, when everyone will want to have a good-sized serving!

Our Dollar Reaches Highest Since 1933

This week, the Canadian dollar was at its strongest since 1933. In New York's money markets, premium on our dollar was 4 23-32 cents.

To importers, the continuing high premium is good news. It means an extra cushion of profit on imported merchandise sold here.

The same is true of Canadian manufacturers who buy some or all of their components in the U.S. for assembly here. Automobile manufacturers, for instance, enjoy a substantial advantage when the U.S. dollar is relatively cheap, as it is now.

For exporters, the case is reversed. Newsprint manufacturers raised their prices to foreign customers by $4 a ton March 1st. Main reason given is increased costs, but the discount on the U.S. dollar (their export prices are quoted in U.S. terms) was undoubtedly a factor too.

The reasons for the dollar rise are varied. But a major one is the ever increasing flow of capital into Canada from abroad. One-third of all capital investment in Canada last year came from foreign sources.

This has meant a strong demand in foreign money markets for our dollars — the strongest, most sought-after of the world's currencies.

Capital inflow takes two forms — direct investment in foreign-controlled enterprises, and trade in securities (either new or outstanding.)

Sharp Swing

Trade in securities, which had resulted in a net export of capital in 1955, swung sharply the other way in 1956 to produce a capital import of more than $750 million. Capital inflow by direct investment rose from 1955's $400 million to $525 million last year.

One reason for the sharp upturn in sale of Canadian securities abroad has been the growth in U.S. investment companies formed exclusively to buy Canadian securities, and — until Suez — the greater availability in the U.K. and Western Europe of dollars for investment here.

The future of our dollar — if the past is any guide — could be more of the same. Production and consumption in the U.S. is now twice prewar, and the U.S. economy depends heavily on Canadian exports of forest products, base metals, petroleum, aluminum, uranium and other raw materials Canada possesses in abundance.

Canada's need for U.S. dollars (which has been leading us into bigger and bigger current trade deficits) should diminish as a direct result of our heavy imports of capital.

The Trans-Canada pipeline alone will save Canada more than $100 million annually in U.S. currency, it is estimated.

How do the experts view the future of the Canadian dollar; A representative group of economists, investment dealers, bankers and others were asked by Financial Post to predict what it would be woth, in relation to the U.S. in the next five years.

Three university professors, queried independently, declined to make a forecast. Others said:

Investment Dealer

"The premium on our dollar might reach 10% during the next three or four years. Outside capital from everywhere is seeking haven in Canada, and there is even flight capital from the U.S. This is because of Canada's reputation for sound government. Certainly we are doing a much better job than the U.S."

Insurance Executive

"As long as we have such a terrific trade deficit, our dollar will depend upon the capital inflow. Much of the capital ends up by producing goods for export. You can argue in circles."

Investment Dealer

"Over the near term, the weakened buying power of Britain and Western Europe for our exports and our securities as a result of the Suez crisis could tend to reduce the premium on our dollar.

"Over the long term there are unmistakably strong forces making for a premium on our dollar or at least a dollar that remains comparatively strong among world currencies."

Investment Underwriter

"Outside limits for the premium on the Canadian dollar in 1957 will be 3% and 5%. The future? The rate of capital inflow will be a lot less, although the amount may be higher. We might very well see a discount dollar because of the trade deficit."

Bank Economist

"We have only begun to see a U.S. capital inflow. The premium on our dollar could reach 6% to 7% in a year or two, with investment opportunities continuing to expand. Americans are concerned about protecting their flanks, and they look to our natural resources for their raw material stockpiles."

Bank Vice-President

"I think our dollar might be a little above par in five years. Capital inflow should be somewhat smaller — 27% of GNP going into capital investment is a very high figure. To maintain a level of 20% we would be doing fairly well."

Ottawa Economist

"I would expect it to fluctuate around par — sometimes above, sometimes below — over the next five years."

A poll was taken in the investment department of a life insurance company. Three predicted the Canadian and U.S. dollar would be par in five years. Two expect the Canadian dollar to be at a discount of up to 2%.

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Mrs. Ralph Heath spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Stella Gibson in Campbellford.

Mrs. Lloyd Anderson and little daughter, Beth, were visitors last week with her sister, Mrs. Murney Fleming and family, Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnum and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Meiklejohn were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Gibson, Billie and Ruth, of Burnbrae, and Mrs. Stella Gibson and Blanche and Miss Diane Hooper, of Campbellford, were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family were guests last week-end with his brother, Ross and family, at Billings Bridge.

Several from here attended the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Webb at Bonarlaw on Sunday. We extend heartiest congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis and family, of Glen Miller, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family.

Mrs. G. W. Jones, Stirling, and Mr. Percy M. Wood, Ivanhoe, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones.

The barn, some stock and implements on the farm of Mr. Burton White, 8th Line, were destroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer and children were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McKeown, 12th Line.

Mrs. Bob Runnalls and Chris were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Warne Ecker, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Miller and boys and Shirley Stewart, of Trenton, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart.

Mrs. Essie Conley, of Batawa, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Reid and Bonnie, of Peterborough, were Sunday visitors of his brother, Walt, Mrs. Reid and George.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson and Beth were Sunday callers with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wannamaker at Frankford.

Mrs. Roy Clements, her daughter, Pam, and her mother, Mrs. Larmer, of Peterborough, and Mrs. Hilliard Clements, of Warsaw, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Gray. The Gray twins, David and Diane, returned home with Mrs. Ray Clements.

Mrs. Bill Petherick and Chris were Thursday afternoon and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reid and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Heath and grandchildren, Billie and Judy Heath, Ridge Road, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reath, Don and Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Heath left on Thursday for a trip to North Bay and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Mumby and family were Saturday supper guests of his grandmother, Mrs. Stella Gibson, in Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart were guests last week-end with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holland and Stewart, Havelock, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donaldson and Susan, at Peterborough.

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Marsh Hill

Sidney Federation of Agriculture held a social evening Thursday night in the Marsh Hill School.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Finkle and family were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Dier, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Finkle and girls and Mrs. Frank Finkle were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boulter Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston, of Harold.

The conveners of the W.I. Standing Committees met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Charlie Mayell to prepare their reports.

The members of Marsh Hill Church are serving meals and lunches at the Belleville Livestock Sales Barn.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Fred Heasman has been able to leave Belleville Hospital and is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Ross Grier, of Trenton.

West Huntingdon

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gunning, of Tweed, were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sarles.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldie McInroy were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Blakley and Miss Kerr, of Tweed. They also entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Mumby, of Bonarlaw, Friday evening.

Calvary Temple, Belleville, Visits Fuller Church

A large number of members of the Calvary Temple, Belleville, assembled at Fuller United Church on Monday evening to visit the Young People's Union.

Mr. J. A. Bernt was chairman and Miss Pauline Frederick read the Scripture lesson. Duets were rendered by Messrs. Walt Taylor and Dave Dow and Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Johnston. A quartett composed of W. Revoy, N. Trumble, D. Daley and V. Daley, gave an excellent number.

Miss Evelyn Bowers gave an outstanding address on the subject, "Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth."

A lovely lunch was served and some musical numbers closed this happy evening.

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Minstrel Show, Stirling Community Hall, Thursday, April 18th, at 8.30 p.m.

AUSPICES ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY SCHOOL — PROCEEDS IN AID OF NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL HALL — TICKETS: ADULTS 75c; CHILDREN 50c

Cumulative Sick Leave For Staff Under Discussion By H. S. Board

Resignation of Two Members of Staff Received — Five Teachers Re-engaged

The whole matter of cumulative sick leave as it affects members of the teaching staff at the local High School was the subject of a lengthy discussion at the monthly meeting of the Stirling-Rawdon District High School Board on Monday night. Chairman J. B. Belshaw was in the chair and was supported by Messrs. J. Johnston, Don Rodgers, E. Colden and W. J. Morton.

Under the plan a member of the staff, who is entitled to twenty days sick leave in any one teaching year, will be entitled to carry one-half of the unused portion of this leave into the next year and each succeeding year until the total reaches 100 days or approximately one half of the number of teaching days in a school year. Should a teacher accept employment with another Board the cumulative sick leave which he or she has acquired must be accepted by the new employer. In the event that a teacher who has been a member of the staff for five years or over retires from the teaching profession, other than to get married or enter another business, the cumulative sick leave is paid by the Board under terms of an agreement satisfactory to both parties.

A tentative agreement for use by the local staff was drawn up and will be submitted to members of the staff for their consideration.

A list of the cost of transportation of pupils to the local school and the portion approved by the Department of Education was tabled by the Secretary-Treasurer..

Resignations

He also tabled the resignations of Mrs. K. Pryor and N. A. Caragata, from the staff. The former has accepted a position on the staff of the Belleville Collegiate. The resignations were accepted on motion of Don Rodgers and E. Colden.

The signed contracts for re-engagement from J. L. Good, Principal; Mrs. G. Bailey, E. C. Hay-Ellis,, Miss M. Swaine and R. M. Marbry were also tabled.

Join Horticultural Society

A membership in the Stirling Horticultural Society for $4.00, for which sufficient plants will be received to plant the flower beds in front of the school, was authorized on motion of Morton and Johnston.

The following accounts were presented for payment:

Stirling News-Argus, $24.55; J. L. Good, $3.19; Hatton Hardware, $5.85; Stirling Public Utilities, $124.39; Bell Telephone, $10.45; Stirling Lumber, $40.50; Laurentian Trading Company, $87.00; Thos. Gibson Co., $47.25; Regent Refining, $181.61; Mark Tripp, $27.75; F. R. Armstrong, $29.66; Jas. Wright, $12.00.

PAPER PUBLISHED EARLY NEXT WEEK

Due to the Good Friday holiday the Stirling News-Argus will be published Wednesday of next week to permit its delivery in the rural sections on Thursday.

All advertising copy should be in this office early on Monday to ensure publication. Correspondents are also asked to send their weekly budgets in early. Your co-operation will be much appreciated.

Save Your Baskets

In the next few days a Cub will be calling on you for six-quart baskets for which they have sale. This is one way you can help the boys make money for their summer camp. A cook stove and dishes are badly needed so citizens are urged to co-operate and save baskets for the boys.

Accepts Position Here

Miss Margaret Howes, Roslin, has accepted a position in the office of the local office of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. She began her duties the first of the month.

Energetic Bowling

Following last week's bowling in the Ladies' Energetic Bowling league, the Parrots and Woodpeckers are tied for first position with 101 points each, followed by the Canaries and Hummingbirds, also tied with 81 points each.

High single for the week went to Phil Sheridan, with a count of 274, while Hilda Rose rolled the high triple score of 680.

Sells Home

Donald Francis has sold his residence on Henry Street to Gerald Bush. The new owner is moving his household effects from Toronto this week. Mr. and Mrs. Francis moved yesterday into an apartment in the Cranston block, pending the securing of accommodation in Trenton.

Bowling Banquet

On Wednesday, April 3rd, the Ladies' Merrie Bowling League ended their season with a banquet at the Queen's Hotel, Belleville. Later some girls went bowling and others went to a show.

High single for the season went to Shirley McGee, while the high triple went to Marilyn Lanigan.. Evelyn Duffin and Marie Eggleton were tied for the high average. Consolation prizes also were given to Nora Scott and Mary Valchar.

Rotary Club Appeals For Crippled Children

Before you read this . . . Walk across the room.

It was easy, wasn't it? You didn't have to use crutches . . . hold on to furniture . . . or wear a heavy steel brace on your leg. You just walked across the room as usual, it was nothing special . . . it was no miracle.

But, there are many children in Ontario, some in our own community, for whom such an act would indeed be a miracle.

In their bodies some children are different — their legs won't run or jump, their lips can't laugh and sing, their arms won't play tricks of youthful mischief. These are the children for whom we ask your help . . . and you help when you buy and use Easter Seals, a symbol of service to physically handicapped children.

Only Easter Seal dollars can take care of these needs . . . let your heart measure the amount!

The local committee is desirous of closing the appeal by April 30th and would appreciate your donation before that date.

Engage Teacher

Announcement has been made by A. R. Mallory, chairman of the teachers' committee of the Stirling Public School Board, that Miss Margaret McGee, of town, has been engaged to fill the vacancy on the teaching staff caused by the resignation of Mrs. I. McCoy, of Madoc. Miss McGee, who has been on the staff of a Trenton school, will commence her new duties in September.

Honoured On Her 83rd Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tweedie entertained in honour of Mrs. Charles Mumby, who was observing her 83rd birthday anniversary on Sunday. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Belshaw, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rollins Miss Carolyn Rollins and Paul Rollins, of Stirling.

Scouts At Church

On Sunday, April 7th, the Stirling Rover Crew attended Church service at St. Paul's United Church. One Sunday each month the Rover Crew plan to attend church in a body and will take turns at the different churches.

Al. Francis, Assoc. Rep. Transferred

Announcement has been made of the transfer of A. L. Francis, Associate Agricultural Representative in Hastings County, to a similar position in the Counties of Peel and Halton, to take effect May 1st.

Word of the transfer has been received with regret in this Village and throughout the County. During the five years he has spent in the County, "Al," as he is popularly known, has made a host of friends, particularly among the Junior Farmers with whom he was associated in his work. In addition to his work he also found time to devote to all community projects. He took an active part in the Stirling Rotary Club, of which he is treasurer, and St. Paul's United Church, and will be missed in the community. The News-Argus joins with his many friends in wishing him "good luck" in his new sphere of labour.

Completes Course

Sub. Lieutenant (S) Ross H. Hermiston will complete a seven month's course at the R.C.N. Supply School, H.M.C.S. Hochelaga, Montreal, on Saturday, April 13th. On April 23rd he will leave Lachine, Quebec, by air for Belfast, Ireland, to join the crew of H.M.C.S. Bonaventure.

Sells Property

Francis Jeffrey, of Belleville, has disposed of his property on Gore St. in this village, to Fred Hagerman, of Rawdon Township. The deal was consummated on Wednesday of last week.

Guide News

At the April 2nd meeting of the 1st Stirling Girl Guide Company, the following badges were presented:

First Aid, Carol Ray, Marilyn Rose, Pat Fraser, Sandra West, Joan Fraser, Helen Faulkner, Jean Anne Mayhew and Sharon Rogers; Second Class, Sondra Chambers; Little House Emblem, Lois Vardy; Needlewoman, Lois Vardy; Swimmer, Jean Anne Mayhew; Skaters, Barbara Woodbeck, Sandra West, Louise Harding; Hostess, Sondra Chambers, Louise Harding and Joan Stapley; Cook, Sondra Chambers and Louise Harding; Handywoman, Barbara Woodbeck; Child Nurse, Sondra Chambers; Laundress, Louise Harding.

On April 3rd a Court of Honour meeting was held at the home of Lieut. Cain.

WE'LL BE MOVING

NO NEWS-ARGUS APRIL 25th

There will be no issue of the News-Argus on Thursday, April 25th, due to moving our plant to our new location on Front St. We regret any inconvenience to our advertisers and readers and ask your forbearance. —Editor

Tame Woodchuck Returns Home

"Woody," a pet woodchuck, has returned to the home of Don Tucker, Front St. W., after spending the winter in hibernation. Caught when he was a baby last year, "Woody" soon became a family pet and has the run of the Tucker premises. Heeding nature's call to hibernate for the winter, he left his usual haunts on November 1st last, and didn't return until Tuesday of this week. He apparently wintered well and when displayed in this office yesterday was as tame as ever and as docile as a kitten.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Pettit, of Edmonton, Alberta, announce the engagement of their daughtetr, Darlyne, to Mr. Jack Smith Bailey, of Edmonton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sterling Bailey, of Kingsville. The wedding will take place Friday, April 26th at St. Luke's Anglican Church, Edmonton.

Factories Open Next Week

Three of the district cheese factories, Evergreen, Shamrock and Central, will open for the current season on Tuesday of next week.

At Evergreen Cheese Factory, which recently changed hands, Ernest Reid, the new owner, will be the cheesemaker. Thos. Sarles will again be the cheesemaker at Central Factory and Bill Gibson, of Menie, has been engaged as the cheesemaker at Shamrock Cheese Factory.

Mrs. Fred Heasman Died In Hospital

Following an illness of one month, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Heasman, R.R. 4, Stirling, died in the Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday morning. She was born in Peterborough 62 years ago, being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and had been a resident in the Stirling district for the past 28 years.

Mrs. Heasman took an active part in the affairs of her community and especially in the work of the congregation of Marsh Hill United Church of which she was a faithful and devoted member. She was a member of the Woman's Auxiliary and the Woman's Missionary Society and in both organizations she was quite active. Fraternally she was a member of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, Stirling. The late Mrs. Heasman was well known and highly regarded among a wide circle of friends.

Surviving are her husband, Fred Heasman, one daughter, Mrs. Ross (Phyllis) Grier, of Trenton, one son, William Heasman, Belleville, two sisters, Mrs. Alberta Ecobichon, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. S. Ward, R.R. 4, Stirling, and three brothers, David White, Peterborough, William White, of Toronto, and Frank White, of Cleveland, Ohio. Four grandchildren also survive.

The funeral service was held at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, this (Thursday) afternoon with Rev. R. F. Darke, of Foxboro, in charge.

Members of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, Stirling, held a memorial service for Mrs. Heasman at the funeral parlours on Wednesday evening, with Noble Grand Mary Hulin in charge. She was assisted by Mrs. J. S. Whitehead, Vice-Grand and Miss Marion Carlisle, Chaplain. A duet, "Beyond the Sunset," was rendered by Mrs. H. Philp and Mrs. R. Eggleton.

Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

Pee Wee Hockey Teams Honoured

International Films Shown Through Courtesy O.H.A. — Presentations Are Made

On Friday evening the season of the Stirling Pee Wee Hockey League was formally brought to a close with a Presentation Night held in the auditorium of the Public School. During the course of the evening's programme of films, a presentation was made to the league coaches, Marvin Scott, Allan Lawes, Bob Palmer, Bob Luery, Ross Kirn and Bert Bastedo, by Ken Gillies, on behalf of the league. Crests and the league trophy were presented to the championship Red Wing team coached by Bert Bastedo.

In his remarks Mr. Gillies stated that this had been the most successful season to date. He said that there were a number of reasons for this, namely: The interest of the rural areas around Stirling that have become part of the league; the better facilities as provided by the Canadian Legion; the sets of sweaters contributed by Stirling Lumber, Dr. Cornett, Noble's Drugs and Morton's Body Shop; the goal pads that were contributed and those that were purchased by the league; and the fine spirit of the boys themselves.

The evening was brought to a close with hot dogs and cokes, served by the coaches.

The very enjoyable evening was made possible by the Stirling Public School Board for the room; Mr. J. L. Good for the projector and screen; Mr. Doug Patterson for securing the films; Mr. Stewart McArton who was projectionist, and the Canadian Legion for lunch. Our sincere thanks to all.

Regular Meeting St. John's Guild

The regular business meeting of St. John's Ladies' Guild was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday afternoon, April 2nd.

The President opened the meeting with hymn 127, with Mrs. H. C. Secker as pianist. Rev. H. C. Secker led in prayer, followed by the Guild Prayer. He also read the Scripture Lesson.

Nineteen members answered the roll call. Mrs. M. Tanner gave the Treasurer's report, also the report on the Boy Scout Banquet.

Mrs. H. Rodgers and Mrs. E. Cooke were members of the programme committee.

Mrs. Charlie Vance was the guest speaker. She spoke of her recent trip to Florida. She also showed some lovely pictures which were much enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Rodgers thanked Mrs. Vance. Mrs. E. Cooke gave a reading entitled "The Faithful Few." This was followed by a contest by Mrs. Rodgers.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ernie Gifford with the President and Mrs. Gifford as the conveners.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. F. McGee and Mrs. E. Cooke. Mrs. Frank Harding moved a vote of thanks to all.

Donald W. Rodgers Re-elected President Chamber of Commerce

Dates Set For Old Home Week In 1958 — Steering Committee Is Appointed

Donald W. Rodgers was re-elected President of the Stirling Chamber of Commerce for 1957 at a meeting of the directors in the Council Chambers last night.

Other officers are Vice-President, J. V. Holt; Secretary, R. D. Patterson, and Treasurer, R. B. Bell.

The committee chairmen are as follows: Civic, J. B. Belshaw; Commerce, R. L. Hatton; Agriculture, H. E. Cooke; Industry, Wm. Morton; Tourist, A. Fraser.

Old Home Week

The "Old Home Week" celebration scheduled for next year, will commence the Sunday previous to Civic Holiday (1958) and continue through Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The steering committee to appoint special committees is composed of the following: Wm. Morton, W. L. Pollock, H. R. Tompkins, R. B. Bell, R. D. Patterson and D. W. Rodgers.

Membership Appeal

A membership appeal is to be made within the next two weeks. Special support is needed this year in view of the Centennial. All businessmen will be contacted. Private citizens are urged to take an active interest.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Ray Armstrong, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh Morton.

Rev. H. C. Secker attended Synod executive meetings on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McInroy, of Belleville, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rollins.

Mrs. Fred Elgie and Audrey, Belleville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Drewry.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Allen, Robert and John, of Bowmanville, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tucker,

Mrs. E. P. Strickland has received word of the death on Tuesday evening of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Irvin, of Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rollins and Mrs. Don Campbell, of Belleville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rollins on Wednesday last.

Mrs. J. B. Frederick and son, Scott, are spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Volney Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Allen, Robert and John, Bowmanville, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Caskey, Frankford, on Sunday.

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MINSTREL SHOW TO BE PRESENTED HERE

(Advertisement)

A choir of 40 black faced entertainers of Demorestville Church will present a Minstrel Variety programme in Stirling Community Hall on Thursday, April 18th at 8.30 p.m.; under the auspices of St. Paul's United Church Sunday School.

This show has many highlights and 100 percent attendance is anticipated.

Barbara Newcombe will give an unusual act of tap and baton twirling dressed in black velvet costume with lime green trim. The pianist has a tough job in any presentation of this sort, but Inez Sallans is a wonderful help to all performers. She looks attractive in a fruit bowl hat complete with ostrich feather that waves everytime she moves. She also gets a terrific hand when she plays a solo on bottles filled with water.

There will be jokes told throughout the evening and "Soxy" a real dog, gets taken for an "airing" at intervals, for she has everyone scratching at once.

An exciting "bull fight" will be staged and Barbara Martell as a brave matador wins the fight.

The girls are gay in cotton skirts and white blouses; the boys in dark trousers and white shirts with matching tie and cumberbund and from the time the show starts you are in the deep south until the end.

The excellent endmen keep the audience hooting with laughter with their wit and funny antics, dressed in swallow-tail coats and bowler hats.

Mrs. Henry Sallans makes a fine "Mammy" in a bright skirt which discreetly covers the long white bloomers with a lace trim. Even funnier perhaps are her grey kid high-topped boots.

Everyone will love the old songs. Songs like: "My Old Kentucky Home," "Dixieland," "O Susanna " "Polly Wolly Doodle" and many others.

Friends, the Sunday School hopes for a large turnout so they may finish the new Sunday School building, and please, if you cannot attend, buy a ticket to help. Remember, only a limited number of tickets available.

- COMING EVENTS -

ANNUAL MASONIC LADIES' NIGHT auspices Stirling Lodge No. 69, A.F. & A.M., will be held in the Stirling Community Hall on Wednesday, April 17th at 7.00 p.m.

ANNUAL DIVINE SERVICE STIRling Lodge No. 239, I.O.O.F., and Laurel-Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, will be held at St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, on Sunday, April 14th at 3.00 p.m. Brethren please meet at the Lodge Hall on Charlotte St. at 2.30 p.m. Visiting Rebekahs and Oddfellows invited.

LAST LENTEN FISH AND CHIP Supper of season, St. John's Parish Hall, Friday, April 12th at 6 p.m. Orders for delivery must be in by 4.30 p.m. Phone 2110. Admission: Adults 75c; Public School students, 50c; Outside orders, 60c minimum.

River Valley Women's Institute Annual Meeting

(By Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

The annual meeting of River Valley Women's Institute was held on Thursday, April 4th at the home of Mrs. Don Scott with seventeen members in attendance.

Mrs. Roy Bush, President, opened with the Ode, Lord's Prayer and Mary Stewart Collect in unison. Mrs. R. Utman presided at the piano.

Mrs. J. R. Donohoe gave a full report of her department and read the correspondence.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen reported for the first three card parties held in March and thanked her assistants, Miss Marion Carlisle and Mrs. Phil Conley. The total receipts were $46.80 with $6.80 for coffee, serviettes, score cards, etc. The Treasurer was given $40.00 and the prizes were all donated.

The report of the last card party convened by Mrs. Phil Conley and Mrs. John Kane was read and $15.05 was the amount given to the Institute. A total of $55.05 for March.

It was decided on motion of Mrs. Don Donohoe that another one hundred dollar bond be purchased. This will make one thousand dollars in the building fund. A donation of $5.00 was made to the teacher and pupils of River Valley School for their assistance. The salaries of officers amounting to $35.00 was directed to be paid.

The District Annual will be held on June 6th with the Stirling Branch as the hostess group. The date of River Valley W.I. meeting for that month will be changed. At the May meeting the members are asked to display their various hobbies.

Reports

The following reports for District Annual were given by the various conveners: Miss Marion Carlisle, Mrs. Glenn Bush, Mrs. Allen McDonell, Mrs. Percy Utman, Mrs. J. R. Donohoe and Mrs. Ed. Heasman. These will be forwarded to the District Conveners.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen gave a brief outline of the Friendship Link Work and told of letters, clippings, etc. sent to Abbot's Leigh W.I. in England and of their Institute exchange of gifts at Christmas.

Mrs. MacMullen, as Press Secretary, reported over fifty items of Institute news in two newspapers and referred to the "River Valley Corner" with the Institute crest in the local weekly paper, for which she is responsible

Mrs. Don Donohoe read a message from the Countrywoman magazine.

Mrs. J. R. Donohoe gave a full financial report. The total receipts were $575.00. The expenses included over $50.00 for fruit boxes and flowers in the community, $200.00 in bonds as well as numerous other accounts. The money was raised through a barn sale which netted $156.00, and eighteen card parties which cleared $193.00, and a few smaller activities.

Mrs. Fred McDonell attended all 12 meetings, while Mrs. Roy Bush and Mrs. Percy MacMullen each attended 11 meetings.

It is hoped to complete the Tweedsmuir History at the end of the fifty year period and then begin a new book.

Mrs. Roy Bush Reports On Activities

Mrs. Roy Bush in her presidential address gave a resume of all the main events that had taken place during the year. She had stressed the value of education and most of the programmes had been presented by River Valley members. The mottoes had been prepared by the group. Mrs. Bush voiced appreciative thanks for co-operation. During her two-year term she had instituted the idea of remembering senior citizens over ninety years of age in the district and sending congratulatory cards to those married forty years.

She voiced special thanks to Mrs. Thos. Hanna, who assisted with preparing last year's programmes, and also thanked her directors for their various telephone calls. The Friendship Link with England, the Tweedsmuir History, the Institute Grace, the visit of the District President, Mrs. Louis Rodgers, and the letters read from the Provincial President, had all stimulated the work. River Valley members had attended District Annual, Area Convention, Achievement Day, District Extension Course, social evenings of other branches; District 60th Anniversary Party, visit of Mrs. W. Berry A.C.W.W. President at Ottawa in June 1956 and other events.

There were three quiltings held. The Community Night at the school house last fall stressed "The Importance of Rural Living." During the year a donation was made to the Stirling Arena. Mrs. Bush closed her address with a message re "Mirrors and Windows" and an appropriate poem.

The motto, "Be not afraid of change it is the essence of life," was presented by Mrs. Percy Utman. This stressed truth, prayer, pity, uprightness and love.

The new booklet on "Home Economics Services" was distributed to each member. The roll call was pay your dues, and to date there are four life members and sixteen annual paid members.

Election of Officers

Mrs. Percy MacMullen conducted the election of officers and installed the new slate. She read the objectives of the Institute from the hand book which included: "A member of the branch Women's Institute who has paid her fee is automatically a member of the Federated Women's Institute of Ontario, the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada and the Associated Country Women of the World." One of the main objects is to develop a more abundant life in our rural communities and a deeper appreciation of the things near at hand.

The slate of officers is as follows: President, Mrs. Ralph Utman; Past President, Mrs. Roy Bush; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Ernest Carr; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Don Donohoe; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. J. R. Donohoe; Assistant, Mrs. Ed. Heasman; Press and Friendship Link Secretary, Mrs. Percy MacMullen; Pianist, Mrs. Phil Conley; Assistant, Mrs. George Heasman; Home and Country Convener, Mrs. Gerald Brooks; A.C.W.W. Convener, Mrs. Roy Bush; Girl's Work Conveners, Mrs. George Heasman, Mrs. Phil Conley and Mrs. Vernon Harry; District Director, Mrs. Percy MacMullen; Alternate, Mrs. George Heasman; Directors, Mrs. Jack Bush, Mrs. Allen McDonell, Mrs. Percy Craighead, Mrs. J. L. Donohoe and Mrs. Claude Tucker; Auditors, Mrs. Bob Philp and Mrs. Ross Bush; Tweedsmuir History Conveners, Mrs. Roy Bush, Mrs. Roy Irven and Mrs. Stanley Irven.

Entertainment Conveners

November, Mrs. Gerald Brooks and Mrs. Vernon Harry; December, Mrs. J. R. Donohoe and Mrs. Glenn Morrow; January, Mrs. Ed. Heasman, Mrs. John Kane and Mrs. Bob Philp; February, Mrs. J. L. Donohoe and Mrs. Harry Morrow; March, Mrs. Ross Bush and Mrs. Allen McDonell.

Standing Committee Conveners

Agriculture and Canadian Industries, Miss Marion Carlisle and Mrs. Gerald Brooks; Historical Research and Current Events, Mrs. Roy Irven and Mrs. Alex Bush; Community Activities and Public Relations, Mrs. Jack Bush and Mrs. Stanley Irven; Home Economics and Health, Mrs. Harry Vandervoort and Mrs. Allen McDonell; Citizenship and Education, Mrs. Don Donohoe and Mrs. Percy Utman; Resolution Convener, Mrs. Roy Bush.

In the installation service from the hand book the members and officers of River Valley Branch pledged themselves to work as a unit in the community, as well as in the large sphere of Institute activity, accepting such responsibilities as come within its scope, in the District, Area, Provincial, national and international fields of endeavour.

Thanks was expressed to Mrs. Roy Bush for her work as President and she was given an ovation.

The Past President then extended the hand of fellowship to the new President and Mrs. Ralph Utman spoke briefly and read a poem entitled "Go right on working."

The Institute Grace was sung after which the hostess and lunch committee served sandwiches, relishes and cake.

Miss Marion Carlisle voiced thanks for hospitality and appreciation to all who had made the afternoon a success and to those who provided the refreshments.

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On April 1, 1957, The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act came into effect in Ontario. The Act provides for a tax of 20¢ per gallon on fuel oils, other than gasoline, such as diesel, domestic, furnace, light, medium and heavy (except bunker), used to drive a motor vehicle OR used in any manner in connection with the construction and maintenance of any public thoroughfare.

Fuel oils commonly known as STOVE OIL, KEROSENE, COAL OIL AND DISTILLATE ARE EXEMPT FROM TAX, unless they are placed in the fuel tank of a motor vehicle or used in any manner in connection with the construction and maintenance of any public thoroughfare.

CONSUMERS—Please note

A tax of 20¢ per gallon is payable by:

1. Every person who receives fuel oil in the fuel tank of a motor vehicle.
2. Every person who receives fuel oil that is not exempt from tax in a receptacle of less than 40 gallons capacity, unless such receptacle is directly connected with a machine that is not a motor vehicle.
   Example—The person will not be required to pay the tax on the fuel received in a tank which is directly connected to the furnace for heating his home; or, similarly, a manufacturer may receive the fuel, less tax, if it is placed in a tank directly connected to his manufacturing equipment.
3. Every person who is not a registrant (see Registration Certificates below) and who receives fuel oil in a receptacle having a capacity of 40 or more gallons, unless such receptacle is directly connected with a machine that is not a motor vehicle.

SUPPLIERS—Please note

All suppliers of fuel oil must become registrants (see Registration Certificates below). Fuel oil may be purchased "less tax" by:

1. Any registrant who receives fuel oil in a receptacle having a capacity of 40 or more gallons. Such a receptacle must not be the fuel tank of a motor vehicle.
2. Any person who receives fuel oil in a receptacle directly connected with a machine that is not a motor vehicle.
   Examples—Furnaces, manufacturing units, etc. Such a person is not required to become a registrant.

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES

Application forms for Registration Certificates may be obtained from the Comptroller of Revenue, Parliament Buildings, Toronto 2. A $1.00 fee must accompany each completed application form.

Every registrant must forward on or before the 25th day of each month to the Comptroller a return containing a complete record of purchases, sales, consumption and inventory of fuel oil for the preceding month, together with payment of the amount of tax shown therein to be payable. Forms for this purpose may be obtained from the Comptroller of Revenue, Parliament Buildings, Toronto 2.

REFUNDS

Persons who have paid tax on fuel oil that is not used to drive a motor vehicle or in connection with the construction and maintenance of any public thoroughfare may apply for refund of such tax. Application forms for this purpose may be obtained from the Comptroller of Revenue, Parliament Buildings, Toronto 2.

PENALTIES (IN PART) FOR CONTRAVENTION OF THE ACT

1. If any person not holding a Registration Certificate in good standing supplies fuel to anyone he will be required to pay a penalty of $100.00 for each violation.
2. Every person who fails to pay the tax in accordance with the Act shall pay a penalty equal to the amount of tax and $50.00.
3. Every registrant who refuses or neglects to collect the tax in accordance with this Act shall pay a penalty equal to the amount of the tax that he refused or neglected to collect and $500.00.
4. Every employee of a registrant who supplies fuel to a purchaser without collecting from the purchaser the tax imposed by the Act shall pay a penalty equal to the amount of the tax and $50.00.

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St. Paul's Notes

(By Rev. A. Packman)

It should be noticed that Holy Communion will be celebrated on Easter Sunday and not on Palm Sunday.

Christianity is a beautiful theory murdered by a gang of brutal facts. That seems to be the opinion of many writers. It is not what they say, but what their argument amounts to, the idea being that Christianity does not work out in fact.

Such conclusions are due to two things. First, the complainer has never listened to what Jesus really said. He never did suggest that Christianity was a Cinderella success story. And secondly, such folk reach a verdict before the trial begins. The fact is, they have not tried it.

Christ did not come into a world that could have got on just as well without Him, it sadly needed Him. The Love He spoke about is not a luxury, it is a necessity. His teaching, indespensable.

The world Jesus came into murdered Him, and a world that can do this sort of thing needs someone from outside the world to make it good and save it from its sin.

River Valley W.A.

The River Valley W.A. held their March meeting at the home of the President, Mrs. Gerald Brooks. The meeting was opened by the President reading a poem entitled, "These are the gifts I ask." The hymn, "I Am Thine O Lord," was sung, followed by the Secretary reading the minutes and the roll call. The secretaries gave their reports for the month. There were nine home calls and five hospital calls reported.

Mrs. Stanley Irven, programme convener for the day opened the programme with the hymn, "Lead On O King Eternal," followed by prayer by Mrs. John Kane. The theme for the day was "The whole armour of God" and Mrs. Irvin read a poem "Be Strong." Mrs. Geo. Heasman gave the Scripture Lesson from Ephesians 6: 1-20.

The study book chapter, "The future is now" on Singapore and Malaya, was well given by Mrs. Roy Irven.

An interesting letter from Miss R. Nelson, British Columbia, our Missionary for prayer, was read by Mrs. S. Irven, and she also told about other missionary workers in that province.

Mrs. Gerald Brooks gave a full report of the Belleville Presbyterial. Five River Valley members attended.

The meeting closed by repeating the benediction. A dainty lunch was served by the lunch committee and hostess.

A Traveller's Note Book . . .

I'm sore! Very sore, frustrated and disappointed for I hear that few if any ever take the trouble to read the notes I contribute under another heading.

True I take comfort in the wisdom of Emerson who said: "Fame is proof that people are very gullible." But I'm only human. It is my hope therefore that the editor will give me a break by allowing me to write under the above.

Trial By Terror

Among those who have not read a word I have written is Senator Joe McCarthy. For this I dislike Joe, for others reasons I detest him. The amazing thing of course is that he has been allowed to continue his dirty work, and the responsibility must be placed squarely at the President's door.

We have always felt distressed in that a thousand scientists should have come under suspicion in America and that mere security risk should have been twisted by McCarthy's mind into Loyalty Risk, it is a very different matter when such a character dares to attack Innocence Abroad.

The death of E. H. Norman is a signal of what can happen under such bitter and wicked investigations as instituted by the Senator from Wisconsin.

For our part as Canadians there seems but two things to say: First of all, and up to date, not a word of apology or sorrow has been sent to Ottawa by the President of the United States or Mr. Dulles. This is a grave thing indeed. Secondly, even if E. H. Norman had once been a student of Communism, or to go further, even had he been a Communist, which we doubt, Just What Business is that of the Americans?

That a man such as McCarthy should set himself up as an inspector of moral nuisances in the world is a bit too much for us to swallow. That he should feel free to name, smear, repeat an utterly untrue accusation of a Canadian Diplomat is something we shoud not stand.

I suppose it all amounts to the fact that we are dealing with a people who are but logical to their creed. In America there is a long established belief that government, which should be simple and open, is always being threatened by secret conspiracies of Communists, Jews, city slickers or British Diplomats. McCarthy is merely playing up to the tune.

The Plagues of Egypt

Mr. Eisenhower: "We are determined that there should not in the future be two laws, one for Egypt and another for Israel."

Mr. Nasser: "I am not going to allow Israel to float a ship through the Suez Canal."

The Bible: "In that day shall the Egyptians be like unto women; and they shall tremble and fear because of the shaking of the hand of the Lord of Hosts, which he shaketh over them."

Voice of Democracy

I see that white settlers in Algeria, Rhodesia, South Africa, etc., are being brought in from the bush for Grade 1 lectures on Democracy — Nkrumah. A snapshot recently received shows this good work getting under way; the teacher, a coloured gentleman wearing a clerical collar looks a bit afraid of the spears the whites are carrying, but looks determined to missionize them.

Elvis Pelvis

We are glad to note that one Canadian city was not interested in this perversion and we would counsel parents to think well before allowing their children to familiarize themselves with his products.

This thing is evil and there is nothing talented or beautiful in it.

Tail Piece

An American hen recently laid a half pound egg. So what! What do they expect the hen to do with it?

A wife complains that her husband has not worked since she married him. But it was not her fault. He sprained his back in carrying her over the threshold.

—Pharos

Cornerstone of New Post Office Laid Today At Batawa

The cornerstone ceremony for the new Post Office at Batawa, was held this morning (Thursday) when Hon. Lester B. Pearson, P.C., M.P., Secretary of State for External Affairs in the St. Laurent cabinet, officiated.

Mr. Pearson was introduced to the gathering by Dr. C. K. Herz, vice-president and managing director of the large shoe manufacturing firm. Dr. Herz played a prominent and active part in obtaining the erection of the new postal building.

The Post Office at Batawa is unique in that it handles mail from more foreign points than any local post office in Canada — impressive indication of the worldwide nature of the Bata shoe empire which, literally, spans the globe.

The new structure is a handsome one, modern in every detail. It is of brick construction with stone facing.

Madoc Dentist Widely Mourned

The funeral was held in Belleville on Saturday afternoon of Dr. Grant T. A. Fraser, of Madoc, who died in hospital on Wednesday of last week.

Dr. Fraser was born at Odessa 67 years ago but took up residence in Madoc 42 years ago, where he had practised dentistry ever since. He was a member of Trinity United Church in Madoc; was a member of the Kiwanis Club of that village; and was also active within the Chamber of Commerce.

A member of the Masonic Order for many years, he was a life member of Madoc Lodge; also Madoc Chapter; and King Baldwin Preceptory, Belleville. He also belonged to the Scottish Rite in Kingston; the Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton, Belleville Shrine; and Rameses Temple in Toronto, of which he was Potentate in 1949.

He is survived by his wife, the former Lola Coe.

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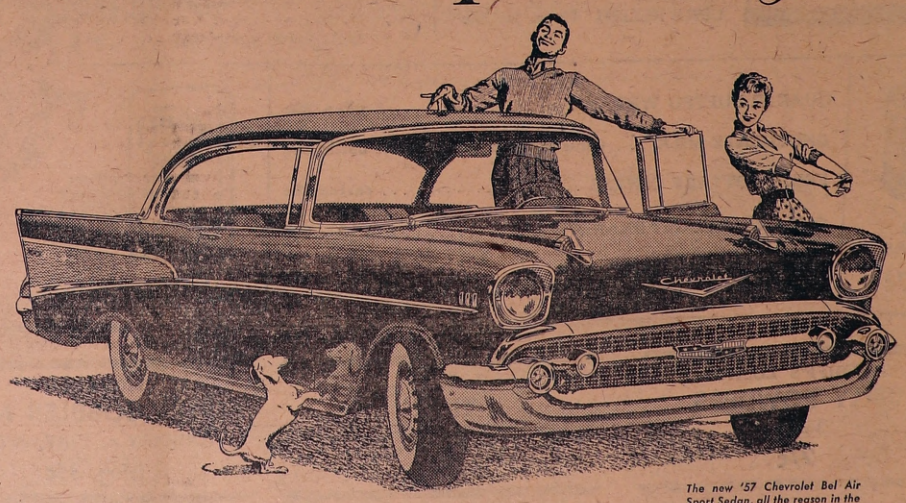

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Stirling —
11.00 a.m.—Church School and Morning Worship. "Palm Sunday" Special music.

West Huntingdon —
2.15 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—Palm Sunday Service Special music

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Stirling —
10.00 a.m.—Church School
11.00 a.m.—Matins
3.00 p.m.—Oddfellows Church Service Glen Miller — 6.30 p.m.
Frankford — 7.30 p.m.

Holy Week —
Wednesday 17th — Lenten Service Stirling 7.30 p.m.

Good Friday — Stirling 7.30 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL CHARGE

Rev. Arthur Packman, Minister

PALM SUNDAY

St. Paul's —
10.00 a.m.—Church School
Scripturer's Group
Bible Class in the Parsonage
11.00 a.m.—"The Secret Sign and the Secret Word"
Nursery Church

Good Friday —
10.30 a.m.—Confirmations

Easter —
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion

Carmel —
2.00 p.m.—Church School and Bible Class
2.45 p.m.—Service

Easter — Holy Communion

Rawdon Pastoral Charge

Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

10.00 a.m.—Wellman's, Worship Service
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.15 a.m.—Bethel, Worship Service
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant, Worship Service
1.30 p.m.—Sunday School

GRACE CHAPEL

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

— SERVICES —

Sunday —
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

Mount Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketcheson arrived home on Sunday from a holiday in the sunny south.

Mrs. Albert Dunkley returned home from Belleville Hospital last Wednesday. Recent guests at the Dunkley home were Mrs. Fred Taylor and her nephew, Kenneth Martin, Toronto; Mrs. Emma Lott and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snow, Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gunning recently called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Montgomery, Foxboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sharpe entertained on Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson and grandson, of West Huntingdon; Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp and Bert and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wrightman, Madoc, were supper guests Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman and they visited his grandfather, Mr. A. A. Farrar, who is ill, in Trenton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Ross Jeffs and David have returned home from Belleville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharp entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keating, Eva and Marguerite, of Marmora.

Mr. Robert Cleugh, Seymour, was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bedford.

Mrs. Carleton Potts is recovering from a serious infection in her finger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Farrar, New York City; Mrs. A. A. Farrar and Mrs. Harold Stinson, Trenton, were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman and family.

Mr. Jack Pitman and Miss Georgia Pitman, Belleville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp.

Sunbeam Mission Band

The Sunbeam Mission Band convened at the Church Hall Sunday morning with 25 in attendance. Kenneth Smith presided and all sang "Little Sunbeams" and all repeated the Mission Band Purpose. Jean Sharpe sang "Hear the Pennies Dropping". Shirley Potts gathered the offering and the president dedicated it.

Mrs. Stanley Williams outlined the study on the Japanese story entitled, "The Swimming Pool," after which Brenda Williams offered prayer.

The worship was based on the theme "Forgive One Another." The Bible lessons were read by Carol Sharpe and Pauline Johnson. The meeting closed with the singing of "Jesus Bids Us Shine" and a couple of games were enjoyed in the recreation period.

Shower For Newlyweds

On Friday evening despite April showers, a large number of neighbours, friends and relatives gathered at Mount Pleasant Church Hall in honour of the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott. Numerous relatives were in attendance from Belleville, Milton, Stirling, Toronto, Campbellford, Salem, Bonarlaw, Carmel, Wellman's and other points. The bride was a picture of loveliness in her white crinoline wedding dress.

Rev. W. G. Fletcher was master of ceremonies and spoke briefly. A singsong of old favourites was conducted by Mrs. Marguerite McMullen and Miss Betty McConnell was pianist for the evening. Miss Carol Sine, Salem, contributed two accordion selections. Mrs. Joe Grills, of Carmel, read two poems, one of which was "If you have done your best."

Jean and Carol Sharpe rendered two vocal duets. Billy Andrews, Bonarlaw, delighted with a piano selection and Mrs. Percy MacMullen recited "How Miss Dorothy Keeps House." Mary Ellen David and Gail Jeffs gave a vocal duet and Kalvin Sharp rendered an accordion solo. Mrs. Marguerite McMullen sang, "April Showers" and Miss Ruth Linn read a humorous poem. David Potts and Raeburn Scott contributed a duet and Miss Donna Carlisle a vocal solo.

George and Beverly were given seats of honour and Mr. Lorne White read an address of appreciation, which contained a poem, "The way to joy and happiness is not a narrow lane."

On behalf of the Mount Pleasant community Mr. Walter Wrightman made the presentation of a china cabinet in chrome and a living room lamp. There were also numerous inividual gifts from relatives and these included a wool blanket, chenille bedspread, silver pyrex, linen, electric table lamp and other miscellaneous gifts.

George and Beverly each voiced appreciative thanks for the party in their honour and for the lovely gifts. They invited their friends to visit them in Toronto.

Refreshments were served by the younger folk and all enjoyed a social half hour. As the group dispersed they wished the newlyweds every happiness on their matrimonial voyage.

RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

FOR HOME AND COUNTRY

Easter is the birthday of vibrant hope for every individual and for all the world. It is also a warning that truth is again breaking out of its tomb. Easter is a ringing reminder that the human spirit cannot be confined.

Rylstone

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McKeown were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Una Spencer and Ray, and Mr. F. G. Spencer Sr., at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gordon, of Marmora, spent a day recently with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meiklejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McComb and Mrs. Dalgleish, of Campbellford, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holland and Stewart, of Havelock, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donaldson and Susan, of Peterborough, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart, Glen and Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKeown and family were recent dinner guests of Mrs. Minnie Morton.

Annual Meeting
Rylstone W.I.

The annuol meeting of Rylstone Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Barnum on Wednesday afternoon, April 3rd, with a good attendance of 19 ladies and 5 children.

The business part of the meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Wilfred Spencer, and opened with the Institute Ode and Creed. The roll call was answered by paying of fees for 1957-58. In the absence of the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Jack Watson was appointed secretary for the day. The minutes of the March meeting and the last annual meeting were read. A letter was read from the Salada Tea Company regarding their competition.

Reports of the Conveners of Standing Committees were given. Mrs. Spencer declared all offices vacant and Mrs. Ernest Irwin was chosen to conduct the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Stanley Kerr; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Don Kerr; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Jim Gray; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Ellis Jones; District Director, Mrs. Fred W. Barnum; Alternate, Mrs. Jack Watson; Branch Directors, Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs. Chas. Stewart and Mrs. Caroline Wright; Pianist, Mrs. Percy Reid; Representative to District Annual Meeting, Mrs. W. Spencer and Mrs. Don Stewart; Flower Committee, Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs. Sanford Wilson and Mrs. Ray Stewart; Auditors, Mrs. Jack Watson and Mrs. Clair Irwin.

Conveners of Standing Commitees—Agriculture and Canadian Industries, Mrs. Gordon Meiklejohn; Citizenship and Education, Mrs. Percy Reid; Historical Research, Mrs. Ray Stewart; Community Activities and Public Relations, Mrs. Lindsay Anderson; Home Economics and Health, Mrs. Alf. Akins; Resolutions, Mrs. Gerald Barnum; Girl's Club Leaders, Mrs. Don Kerr and Mrs. Alf. Akins.

A vote of thanks was tendered the retiring president and the meeting closed with the National Anthem. Lunch was served and a flower exchange was held.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Gerald Barnum. It will be the Grandmother's meeting and under the convenership of Historical Research. A display of antiques is to be held, each member is expected to bring an antique and describe its origan and use.

Minto

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forestell on the arrival of a baby son, born in Belleville Hospital on Friday of last week.

Mrs. F. Brown called on Mrs. Phil Vance on Monday afternoon.

Mr. Lorne Hagerman spent this week in Brockville attending Grand Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Twiddy and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Buttimer Belshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rollins, of Stirling, and Mrs. A. Mumby on Sunday, in honour of Mrs. Mumby's birthday.

Mrs. A. Dafoe and brother, Mr. Tom Sharpe, of Saskatchewan, returned home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ern Broadworth were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Broadworth, Madoc.

Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Ward, of Belleville, were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jackson on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ern Broadworth spent the evening at the same home.

Miss Evelyn Cooke, of Stirling, spent the week-end with Miss Marion Broadworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jackson spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Rollins, Thurlow Township, whose barn was burned on Sunday.

Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dickens and Sharon, of Trenton, were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barker and family, of Trenton, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Heagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentyn Kosobucki and family, of Campbellford, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinds, Madoc; Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hinds and Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Thompson and Teddy, of Campbellford, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hinds.

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SHRUBS AROUND THE HOME

With spring on the way and most home owners thinking about gardens around the home, the time has arrived when they should study the different shrubs for adaptability to the four sides of a house, says J. A. Weall, Horticulture Department, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

The important matters to consider are shade tolerance, sun preference, height, and size and colour, states the O.A.C. authority.

The east side of the house is a good side for shrubs that tend to "rush the season." Early blooming shrubs such as forsythia, and japanese quince should be planted on the east side, because if they are planted in warm and sheltered corners, such as on the south side, they may burst into bloom on the first warm spring day, and then get caught and spoiled by late April frosts. Other good shrubs for the east side are spirea, mock orange, and rock spray.

Any shrubs that thrive on the east side can be used on the north border. Such shrubs would include japanese barberry, viburnums, snowberry, kerria, and most shiny-leaved shrubs, such as mahonia and rhododendron.

Borders facing west and south can contain such showy specimens as roses, and all colourful shrubs, such as hydrangea and beauty bush. The brilliantly coloured Japanese maple requires a warm border to show off its rich summer and fall effects. Butterfly bush, flowering almond, flowering plum, and most garden shrubs need a sunny location.

Preparation of the borders around a house should be thorough. Before planting, the area to be prepared should be excavated to a depth of 18 inches, the subsoil broken up, and manure added. Then good rich soil should be mixed in with the excavated earth, and the borders made at least four feet wider for large homes. The shrubs should be planted at least two feet away from the building in order to give the roots a better chance.

Once the shrubs have become established, the borders should be cultivated with a hoe to keep down weeds, and a dressing of rotted manure spread among them in late fall.

Pruning should be done after flowering, except in the case of hydrangeas and roses. All dead wood should be removed, and the shrubs pruned for shape and control. Individual thought for each cut will be repaid in appearance. The wholesale trimming by shears to one globe shape is not pruning, and is against all good gardening principles.

Much useful information for gardeners is contained in Ontario Department of Agriculture Bulletin No. 483, "Pruning Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, and Vines." It is obtainable from the office of the Agricultural Representative, or from the Horticulture Department, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

INCREASED GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE IN TRANSPORTATION COSTS AGRICULTURAL LIMESTONE

A further step to assist in increasing the fertility of Ontario farm lands was taken recently when Hon. W. A. Goodfellow, Minister of Agriculture, announced a substantial increase in the government assistance given in meeting the transportation costs of agricultural limestone.

Under the new rates rail movements of limestone will be aided by a grant covering 75 per cent of the freight cost up to a maximum grant of $2.50 per ton and a straight 75 per cent in Northern Ontario.

On truck hauls from an approved quarry the new rate is five cents per ton per mile up to a maximum of $2.00 per ton.

"These new rates represent more than a 25 per cent increase in many areas and, in some sections of Northern Ontario, more than double the assistance previously paid," said Mr. Goodfellow.

The Limestone Assistance policy is a joint effort of the Ontario and Canada Departments of Agriculture which provide cash assistance, and the railway companies who by annual agreement provide a lower freight rate than the standard tariff.

From April 1st, 1956 to March 31st, 1957, assistance was paid on 30,000 tons of limestone. This is a substantial reduction from the previous twelve-month period, when the movement amounted to 41,000.

Slightly higher limestone costs, higher freight and trucking costs, and shrinking farm income, along with a wet season when it was difficult to spread lime, are given as the causes for this reduction.

Mr. Goodfellow stated that according to the most conservative estimate, Ontario soils require at least 100,000 tons of limestone annually to maintain the proper degree of alkalinity (sweetness) in the soil, and the increased rate of assistance is to encourage the greater us of limestone where it is most needed.

The new rates came into effect on April 1st.

FEED TO RAISE A PULLET

The amount of feed required to raise a pullet from hatching until ready to lay, a period of 21 weeks, is in the neighbourhood of 19 to 20 pounds, according to recent work under the Poultry Division, Canada Department of Agriculture. This amount does not vary greatly in different parts of Canada. At Harrow, Ont., it required an average of 19.1 pounds, at Agassiz, B.C., 19.4 pounds, and on the somewhat colder farm at Morden, Man., 20.4 pounds.

Huntingdon Twp. Council Notes

Huntingdon Township Council met on Monday afternoon at the Council Chambers for their April meeting with all members present.

Sills and Thompson that the liability insurance for hall be renewed with Arthur Wilson for three years at $37.50.

McInroy and Holland that the road liability insurance be given to Arthur Wilson with 5-10-1 limits at $259.70 for three years.

Sills and Thompson that Council insure direct with the Workmen's Compensation Board, instead of through an agent.

Holland and McInroy that Township truck be insured with Ross Ketcheson.

Sills and McInroy that road voucher No. 4 for $2166.55 be paid.

Thompson and Holland that the following bills be paid:

Dr. Beatty, Board of Health, $5.00; J. B. Haggerty, $5.00; Elmer Wilson, Board of Health, $5.00; Mrs. Lena Kellar, relief, $20.00; John Boyce, $20.00; Hydro lights, $4.05; Ontario Intelligencer, $1.80; John R. Bush Ambulance, $10.00; Albert Bronson, 2 sheep killed, $50.00; Municipal World, supplies, $4.44; George Cooke, Debenture S.S. No. 12, $567.24; McCoy Grocery, Mrs. Herrington, $39.89.

Holland and Thompson, that the survey made by the Ontario Land Surveyors of the cottages and lots from Mrs. Geraldine Cournyeau's cottage to William Armstrong's, be accepted and signed.

Council went into a committee on bylaws with the reeve in the chair to appoint fence viewers, pound keepers and sheep valuators as follows:

Pound Keepers — Melville Reid, Roland Wannamaker, Norman Alexander, Angus Mumby, Donald Spencer, John Hassall, W. E. Pollock, Borden Redcliffe, Milton Shaw, Leslie Blakley, Wellesly Holland, Percy Kellar, John Lakley and James Pitts.

Fence Viewers — Melville Reid, Ross Ketcheson, Fred Ketcheson, Chauncy Sills, Harold Thompson, Harry Holden, Morley Haggerty, Wallace McInroy, Wm. Collins, Sam Fargey, Frank Kellar, Sylvanus Mitts, Leroy Rollins, Ward Holland and John Lindale.

Sheep Valuators — Sam Fargey, David Thompson, John Wallace, Arthur Hagerman, John McGuire and Harold McCann.

Holland and Sills, that Council advertise for an Assessor with salary at $450.00. Applications to close April 9th.

Council adjourned to meet again on May 6th at 7.30 p.m.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting it was decided on Motion of Holland and McInroy that Council would secure five pumps and appoint five fire wardens as requested by the Department of Lands and Forests and that the Township sign up under the Fire Protection Act.

The five fire wardens are: Chief Fire Warden, Earl McMaster; Harold Thompson, Walter Thompson, Leslie Blakley and Leonard Jones.

In 1939 tax payments per family in Canada averaged out to less than $300 a year; current figure is about $2,000.

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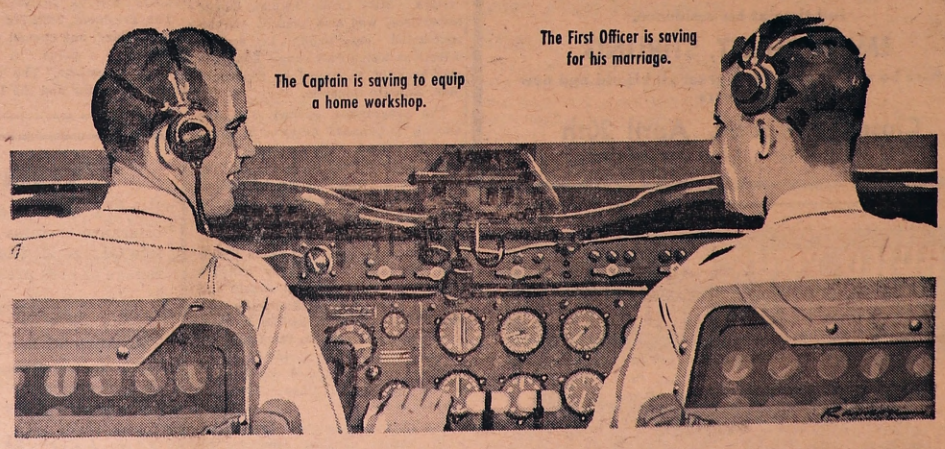

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St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The April meeting of St. Andrew's W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Haggerty with a splendid attendance. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Walter Rodgers and Mrs. Roy Eggleton.

The President, Mrs. E. Foster, expressed a welcome to each member and each visitor. She opened the meeting with a poem, "The stone was rolled away," as follows:

"Behold the Easter Tide is here
With Easter Joy and bloom;
Behold the stone is rolled away
To show a conquered tomb.
Jesus is risen as He said
Risen in triumph from the grave
Rejoice and sing at this Easter Tide
Jesus is risen mighty to save."

The hymn "Jesus Christ is Risen Today" was sung, after which Mrs. Foster led the meeting in prayer. We pray that each member of our Woman's Missionary Society may be so truly surrendered to Thee that she may give of her utmost in time, talent prayer and substance, so that Thy Kingdom may come.

The Scripture Lesson from Matthew 28, was read by Mrs. Geo. Searles. This was the story of the resurrection. The comment on the lesson was read by Mrs. Roy Eggleton. If we are on fire with the power of the risen Lord we will witness in our very living each day with deeds of love and kindness and people will know that we have Christ living within our hearts.

The roll call was conducted by Mrs. Earl Fox, "resurrection" was the key word and it is gratifying to note the interest displayed. The minutes were read. A letter of thanks from Mrs. C. B. Rollins was read. At this time a get-well card was signed by each member for Mrs. S. McIntosh, who is at the present time in the hospital. Plans were also started for the Kingston Presbyterial W.M.S. Rally which is to be held in St. Andrew's Church, Stirling, on May 29th.

While the Easter offering was being taken, Mrs. Vernon Matthews played quiet music. The Treasurer, Mrs. E. Cain, had taken great care to provide each member with a gaily decorated Easter offering envelope. We trust each member will do her best. A prayer of dedication followed.

The second part of the meeting was led by Mrs. L. Rodgers, who also read a poem entitled, "Easter." At this time of year our hearts should not forget the resurrection. A reading, "Easter 1953" was given by Mrs. B. Reid. At Eastertide let us rededicate ourselves to the cause of Christ. Let us turn again towards the light that would lead the world from the dangerous path it is travelling that a long and lasting peace may again return to the world.

At this time one of the junior members, Vickey Hay, delighted the members with a solo, "Here Comes Peter Cottontail."

The topic "The Meaning of Easter" was taken by Mrs. W. H. V. Walker.

The cross of Calvary and the empty tomb are two Easter symbols which have great significance for every Christian.

There are other symbols which go with Easter such as bunnies, lilies, eggs, etc., but it is not the bunnies nor Easter eggs or even the beautiful lilies which make Easter, but Christ of the cross in our hearts. May this Easter reawaken in our souls the fullest realization that Christ died and conquered death for us.

The way of the cross leads home,
It is sweet to know, as I onward go
The way of the cross leads home.

The meeting closed by singing an Easter hymn and the benediction. A delightful lunch was served. The thanks of the Society was expressed by Mrs. A. O. Dalrymple to the hostess and her helpers for this very worthwhile meeting.

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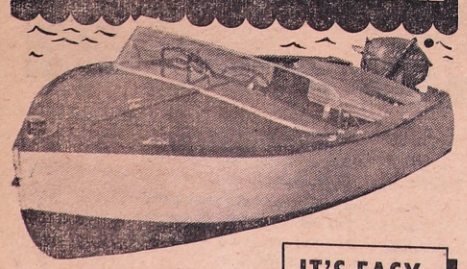

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Education Night At Marsh Hill School

The teacher, Mrs. John L. Good and pupils of Marsh Hill School held a Parent's Night on Wednesday evening for the parents and friends of the section. Miss Grace Pitman, Music Supervisor, was also present and accompanied the pupils in several selections which they sang. Everyone was heartily welcomed by the chairman, Annette Coneglio.

The programme opened with the singing "O Canada," followed by songs by the school, "Winter Song" and "Bird Song;" song by Grade 1, "I'm glad it's snowing;" song by Junior boys, "The Little Cobbler;" song by Junior girls, "The Fairy Ring;" piano solos, "Mountain Climbing," by Elaine Sine; "The Sleigh," by Guenda Detlor and "Stepping Stones," by Patricia Kinton; musical skit, by Rickie and Patsy Little, "The Maid and the Peddler;" choral reading by the Juniors; piano solos, "Swans on the Lake," by Linda Finkle; "Little Spring Song," by Betty Sine; "A Chord Frolic," by Kathy Sine" and "Pop Corn," by Monica Sine.

Recitation, "Someone," by Barbara Ann Vardy; musical numbers, by Grades 1, 2 and 3, "Happy Rosina;" recitation, by Gwenda Detlor, "Who go the Boats;" dance, "Swannee River," by Wayne Campbell; piano solos, "Yellow Butterfly," by Elizabeth Finkle; "The Fairies Harp," by Duanne Kinton and "Arbella Waltz," by Marilyn Finkle.

A dramatized reading lesson was put on by Grade 3, "Mrs. Goose's Bath;" recitation, by Sheila Slater, "The Wagon in the Barn;" musical skit, "Good Advice," by the Juniors; recitation, "I meant to do my work," by Elizabeth Finkle; two three-part songs, "Father Whate'er of Earthly Bliss" and "Shades of Evening."

Mrs. Harold Detlor, chairman of the School Board, spoke a few remarks thanking the pupils for the fine programme and also Mrs. Good and Miss Pitman for their untiring efforts.

Two films, "A Holiday in Bermuda" and "Stephen Foster Songs," were enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Good spoke briefly thanking the parenets for their support and co-operation. Refreshments were served and a social half hour spent.

Tour Streets

Members of the Village Council made a survey of the Village Streets on Saturday to familiarize themselves with the work to be undertaken this coming summer.

St. Paul's W.A.

The April meeting of St. Paul's Woman's Association was held on Tuesday, April 2nd in the Church parlours with Mrs. J. Hough as hostess.

The President, Mrs. P. Utman, presided and opened the meeting with the theme song and prayer.

The programme convener, Mrs. W. Brown, opened the Easter service of worship with the hymn, "Peace, Perfect Peace." The Scripture Readings were based on "Christ's Legacy of Peace" and were given by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Hough. The hymn, "My Heart Is Resting, O My God," was sung. Mrs. E. Luery gave a very interesting poem, "Bones in the Church," after which Mrs. W. Wilkins favoured with a solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," with Mrs. H. West as accompanist.

Mrs. E. Eggleton gave a very interesting and informative talk on the new woman's organization of the United Church, which in time would mean the women of the United Church would be working together as one organization.

Mrs. H. West favoured with a solo, "On Calvary," after which Mrs. D. Duffin gave a reading, "Where Seek Ye the Christ." The hymn, "There is a Green Hill Far Away," was sung and the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction, after which a dainty lunch was served and a social half hour enjoyed.

Mrs. R. Stapley thanked the committee in charge for the impressive Easter programme they had prepared.

St. Andrew's W.M.S. West Huntingdon

The March meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, West Huntingdon," was held at the home of Mrs. Lindsay Sills on Thursday afternoon.

The President, Mrs. Harold Thompson, presided, and opened the meeting by reading a poem, "A Prayer for Women's Meetings." The hymn, "Who is He" was sung and the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. The Scripture found in Mark 11: 1-11, was read by Mrs. Milton Shaw.

Mrs. John Hassall gave a fine talk on the keyword, Matthew 6: 11, "Give us this day our daily bread," The roll call was answered by 15 members, one visitor and six children.

An invitation from St. Peter's W.M.S., Madoc, was read. It was decided to hold a bake sale in the summer. A letter was read from Mrs. Sinclair asking for an offering to help eliminate the deficit, so the Society will be able to honour its commitments. It was decided to bring a special offering to the April meeting. A thank you note was read from Miss Lorna Lott.

The hymn, "Ride on in Majesty," was sung. Mrs. Barton Haggerty gave a talk on the composer. A reading, "Mary the Mother," was given by Mrs. John Wright. The mission study, "Missions More than a Hobby," was given by Mrs. W. H. V. Walker.

The President thanked the programme and lunch committees and also Mrs. Sills for opening her home. The meeting closed by singing, "All Glory, Laud and Honor" and the Mizpah Benediction. Lunch was served.

Cattle Burned In Barn Here

While the family was away at church Sunday morning, two barns on the farm of R. Rollins, 3rd Concession Thurlow Township, were completely destroyed by fire along with 25 head of cattle, two horses, and a quantity of hay and grain.

Tweed Sells Debentures

Tweed municipal council has revealed that all debentures recently advertised have been well received and most of the issues have been purchased by local and district residents. All debentures have been sold with the exception of a small amount maturing in 1959 and 1960, which indicates that the village is in a healthy condition.

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Schedule — 1st, 75 to 100; 2nd, 66 to 74; 3rd, 60 to 65; C, 50 to 59; F, Below 50

Grade 13

Deane Asselstine — Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Hist. 3rd, Trig. F, Physics F, Chem. F.

Joan Barron — Bot. C, Zool. C.

Tom Bridges — Eng. Comp. 1st, Eng. Lit. 3rd, Hist. 3rd, Geom. 2nd, Trig. C, Chem. 1st, Lat. Auth. 1st, Lat. Comp. 2nd.

Denton Burkitt — Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Hist. 2nd.

Grace Clarke — Bot. 3rd, Zool. 2nd.

Sally Coombes — Bot. 1st, Zool. 1st.

Veva Coombes — Eng. Comp. 1st, Eng. Lit. 2nd, Alg. 1st, Geom. 1st, Trig 1st, Physics 1st, Chem. 1st, Fr. Auth. 2nd, Fr. Comp. 1st.

Margaret Dracup — Bot. 3rd, Zool. 2nd.

Mary Lou Faires — Eng. Comp. 2nd, Eng. Lit. 3rd, Zool. 2nd, Chem. C, Lat. Auth. 3rd, Lat. Comp. C, Fr. Auth. F, Fr. Comp. F.

Alex Fleming — Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Hist. C, Geom. 1st, Trig. 1st, Physics 3rd, Chem. C.

Janet Anne Good — Eng. Comp. 2nd, Eng. Lit. 3rd, Geom. 2nd, Chem. 2nd, Lat. Auth. 1st, Lat. Comp. 2nd, Fr. Auth. 2nd, Fr. Comp. 3rd.

Jim Hubel — Eng. Comp. 1st, Eng. Lit. 3rd, Alg. C, Geom. 2nd, Trig. 2nd, Physics 2nd, Chem. 2nd, Fr. Auth. 3rd, Fr. Comp. 3rd.

Marjorie Ketcheson — Eng. Comp. 3rd, Eng. Lit. C, Hist. 1st, Bot. 3rd, Zool. 3rd, Chem. F, Fr. Auth. F, Fr. Comp. F.

Mary Ellen Long — Bot. 3rd, Zool. 2nd.

Bill McKeown — Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. 3rd, Geom. 1st, Trig. 2nd, Physics C, Chem. F, Fr. Auth. C, Fr. Comp. C.

Ruth Morgan — Eng. Comp. 1st, Eng. Lit. 3rd, Alg. 1st, Geom. 1st, Trig. 1st, Chem. 3rd, Lat. Auth. 2nd, Lat. Comp. 2nd, Fr. Auth. 2nd, Fr. Comp. 1st.

Carl Pitman — Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. F, Alg. F, Geom. F, Bot. F, Zool. C, Physics F, Chem. F.

Kenneth Rose — Bot. C, Zool. F.

Martin Secker — Eng. Comp. 2nd, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. F, Geom. 2nd, Trig. 2nd, Physics C, Chem. C, Fr. Auth. F, Fr. Comp. F.

Eleanor Stapley — Bot. 1st, Zool. 1st.

Rose Anne Vandervoort — Bot. 2nd, Zool 3rd.

Allan Wells — Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. F, Alg. C, Geom. 2nd, Trig. 1st, Physics F, Chem. F.

Grade 12

Bill Bailey — Eng. 3rd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. 2nd, Fr. F, Mod. Hist. 1st, Shop 1st.

Joan Barron — Eng. C, Geom. 2nd, Ag. Sc. C, Lat. C, Mod. Hist. 1st, Geog. 2nd.

Marion Broadworth — Eng. C, Geom. F, Ag. Sc. F, Lat. F, Mod. Hist. 3rd, Home Ec. 1st.

Denton Burkitt — Geom. 3rd, Ag. Sc. 1st.

Grace Clarke — Eng. 2nd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. 2nd, Lat. 1st, Mod. Hist. 2nd.

Ray Coniglio — Eng. C, Geom. F, Ag. Sc. C, Mod. Hist. 2nd, Geom. 2nd Shop 2nd.

Sally Coombes — Eng. 2nd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. 1st, Fr. 1st, Lat. 1st, Mod. Hist. 1st.

Ruth Cranston — Eng. C, Geom. C, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. F, Lat. C, Mod. Hist. C.

Patsy Donohoe — Eng. 2nd, Geom. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. 3rd, Mod. Hist. C, Home Ec. 2nd.

Margaret Dracup — Eng. 3rd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. C, Lat. 1st, Mod. Hist. 1st.

Carol Fargey — Eng. C, Geom. F, Fr. C, Lat. C, Mod. Hist. C, Home Ec. 2nd.

Dale Geen — Eng. C, Geom. C, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. F, Mod. Hist. C, Shop 3rd.

Barbara Hadley — Eng. 2nd, Geom. C, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Lat. F, Mod. Hist. C.

Dale Hubel — Eng. 2nd, Geom. C, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Mod. Hist. 3rd, Shop 3rd.

Mary Ellen Long — Eng. 3rd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. C, Lat. 2nd, Mod. Hist. 1st.

Pauline McCurdy — Eng. C, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. C, Lat. 3rd, Mod. Hist. 1st, Home Ec. 1st.

Doug McIntosh — Eng. F, Geom. C, Ag. Sc. 2nd, Mod. Hist. 2nd, Geog. 3rd, Shop 1st.

Lulubelle Matthews — Eng. 2nd, Geom. 2nd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. 3rd, Lat. 1st, Mod. Hist. 1st, Home Ec. 1st.

Malcolm Reid — Eng. 3rd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. 2nd, Fr. 3rd, Lat. 3rd, Mod. Hist. 1st, Shop 1st.

Marilyn Reid — Eng. F, Geom. C, Ag. Sc. F, Mod. Hist. C, Geog. 2nd, Home Ec. 1st.

Kenneth Rose — Eng. 2nd, Geom. 2nd, Ag. Sc. C, Lat. C, Mod. Hist. 1st, Geog. 1st.

Eleanor Stapley — Eng. 1st, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. 1st, Fr. 1st, Lat. 1st, Mod. Hist. 1st.

Aleck Stickle — Eng. C, Geom. 2nd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Lat. C, Mod. Hist. 2nd, Geog. 2nd, Shop, 1st.

Rose Anne Vandervoort — Eng. 3rd, Geom. 1st, Ag. Sc. absent, Fr. C, Mod. Hist. 1st.

Grade 11

Jean Abrams — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 3rd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. F, Lat. C, Anc. Hist. 2nd, Home Ec. 1st.

Helen Acker — Eng. 2nd, Alg. C, Ag. Sc. C, Lat. F, Anc. Hist. 3rd, Home Ec. 2nd.

Bernard Ashley — Eng. C, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Anc Hist. 3rd, Geog. C, Shop 2nd.

Shirley Bateman — Eng. 2nd, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. 3rd, Home Ec. C.

Marion Broadworth — Alg. F.

Denton Burkitt — Alg. C.

Joy Colden — Eng. C, Alg. C, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. C, Anc. Hist. C, Home Ec. 3rd.

Evelyn Cooke — Eng. 3rd, Alg. C, Ag. Sc. F, Lat. F, Anc. Hist. F, Home Ec. C.

Ross Cotten — Eng. 1st, Alg. 1st, Ag. Sc. 1st, Fr. 1st, Lat. 1st, Anc. Hist. 1st, Shop 1st.

Sally Fox — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. C, Lat. F, Anc. Hist. C, Home Ec. 2nd.

Patsy Fraser — Eng. 3rd, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Lat. F, Anc. Hist. 3rd, Home Ec. 3rd.

Peter Grant — Eng. 3rd, Alg. C, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. 3rd, Shop 2nd.

Barbara Hadley — Alg. F.

Douglas Harding — Eng. F, Alg. 3rd, Ag. Sc. F, Anc. Hist. F, Geog. F, Shop 2nd, Agric. Grade X, C.

Paul Heagle — Eng. 3rd, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Anc. Hist. 2nd, Geog. 2nd, Shop 2nd.

Grace Heasman — Eng. 1st, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. 3rd, Lat. 3rd, Anc. Hist. C, Home Ec. 1st.

Barry Hewton — Eng. 2nd, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Anc. Hist. 1st, Geog. 2nd, Shop 1st.

Dale Hubel — Alg. C.

Margaret Johnson — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. 3rd, Anc. Hist. 1st, Home Ec. 1st.

Mary Johnson — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 1st, Ag. Sc. C, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. F, Geog. 2nd, Home Ec. 2nd.

Douglas Kane — Eng. F, Alg. C, Ag. Sc. C, Anc. Hist. F, Geog. C, Shop. 1st.

Arthur MacConnell — Eng. C, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. 2nd, Anc. Hist. C, Geog. 3rd, Shop 1st.

Pauline McCurdy — Ag. Sc. 1st.

Paul McKeown — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 1st, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. 2nd, Lat. C, Anc. Hist. 2nd, Shop 1st.

Elliott Martin — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. 1st, Fr. C, Anc. Hist. C, Shop 2nd.

Arnott Matthews — Eng. C, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. 2nd, Fr. C, Anc. Hist. 2nd, Geog. C, Shop 2nd.

Charlie Nix — Eng. C, Alg. 3rd, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Anc. Hist. 3rd, Geog. F, Shop 2nd.

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Navigator R.C.A.F.

Friends of F/C Keith Hansen, of Centralia, will be glad to know that he was successful in passing his examination for navigator.

Keith spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hansen.

I.O.D.E. Convention

Mrs. Herbert Wood, Mrs. Edwin Warren, Mrs. David Duffin, delegate; Mrs. Donald Rodgers and Miss Rosa Spry, attended the 57th Provincial Convention of the I.O.D.E., held at the Royal Connaught Hotel, Hamilton, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Train Hits Grader N. McGee, Operator Dies of Injuries

Norman McGee, Wallbridge, operator of the Hastings County road grader, died from injuries received shortly before 9 o'clock Wednesday morning when the grader was hit by a C.N.R. train at the level crossing just east of Stirling Village limits. He had been engaged grading the strip of County road betwen the Village limits and the C.N.R. line and was crossing the track to turn around when hit.

According to a member of the train crew, McGee stopped the grader before crossing the track, but apparently failed to see the oncoming train and proceeded onto the track.

Dr. E. A. Carleton was summoned and after receiving first aid the injured man was taken to Belleville General Hospital by Duffin's ambulance.

According to Dr. Carleton, he suffered multiple facial and chest injuries. An autopsy is being held and an inquest will be held later in Belleville.

The grader is a total wreck.

C.W.L. Notes

The April meeting of the C.W.L. was held at the Rectory on Thursday last. Rev. F. J. O'Neill opened the meeting with prayer. Final arrangements were made for a dance to be held in the near future.

A new slate of officers was drawn up as follows:

President, Mrs. Roy LaChappelle; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. V. Farrell; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Wm. Long; Treasurer, Mrs. Gerald Kerbey; Secretary, Mrs. John Doran; Councillors, Miss Alice O'Donnell, Mrs. John Kerby, Mrs. John Ryan and Mrs. Phil McAvoy.

The meeting adjourned with prayer.

Injures Leg

Wm. Brown, local dairy operator, is walking with the aid of a cane these days as the result of an accident at his plant on Wednesday last. When lifting a case of milk, he slipped and suffered a badly sprained leg. The injured member was x-rayed at Belleville General Hospital and placed in a cast.

Bruce Armstrong Widely Mourned

This communiy was deeply shocked to learn of the sudden passing of Bruce Laird Armstrong, at his residence at Glen Ross, Saturday morning. He had been enjoying the best of health until the fatal seizure which occurred while he was having his breakfast.

Born at Glen Ross, he was the son of Mrs. Arminta Armstrong and the late Clement Armstrong, and was in his 53rd year. As a young man he went to Toronto to work and served with the Ontario Provincial Police in Toronto and Hamilton for several years. Some nine years ago he returned to Stirling to reside and had been employed at the Hatton Hardware. He built a new home on the banks of the Trent River at Glen Ross and moved there about a year ago. Of a cheery and friendly disposition, he was held in high regard by a wide circle of friends and his passing is deeply regretted. In religion he was an adherent of the Anglican Church.

He is survived by his wife, the former Gladys May Barnsley, one daughter, Mrs. Jay (June) Ackers, of Stirling, his mother, Mrs. Arminta Armstrong, Glen Ross, and four brothers, Floyd, of Stirling; Ray, of Toronto; Frank, of Odessa, and Jack, of Glen Ross.

The funeral service was conducted at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, on Monday afternoon by Rev. H. C. Secker, rector of St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling.

The pallbearers were Messrs. R. L. Hatton, Harold Morgan, Wm. Bolte, Edgar Maynes, Harold Barnsley and Alex Bremner.

Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

Energetic Bowling League Standing

The final standing in the Ladies' Energetic Bowling League is as follows: Woodpeckers, 108 points; Parrots, 106 points; Canaries, 83 points and the Hummingbirds 81 points.

High single and triple for the week went to Gladys Lancaster with scores of 247 and 567 respectively.

Oddfellow District Service In St. John's Church Largely Attended

Rev. H. C. Secker, L.Th., Delivers Inspiring Sermon — Rebekahs In Attendance

Oddfellows and Rebekahs of Madoc District No. 45, attended Divine Service in St. John's Anglican Church on Sunday last at 3 p.m. Members were present from Picton, Belleville, Madoc, Campbellford, Springbrook, Trenton and other points.

Stirling Citizens' Band, under the leadership of Maurice Bell, headed the parade from the I.O.O.F. Hall on Charlotte St., to the Church, where the Oddfellows were met by members of the Rebekahs. Bro. Ray Rose, District Deputy Grand Patriarch, acted as Marshal.

Rev. H. C. Secker, L.Th., rector of St. John's, welcomed the visiting fraternal organizations and chose his text from John 10: 10, "I am come that they might have life and have it more abundantly."

"The highest dimension of the Christian life is personal stature or inward quality," stated the rector. A man conscious of this will say, "I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my soul shall be joyful in my God." Because he sees that the main purpose of his life is to be something, rather than to do something. God intended man for union with Himself through Christ the Son. He has dignified man above all his creation by giving man the ability to be righteous and to accept salvation, to be able to live the full life. No life, however much good may be done, is complete without being wholly God centered. There are too many "religious pacifists" today.

There is need of more militant men in the church to offset the anti-God and over-secular influences abroad in the world. Personal holiness, and a sense of sonship with God, together with a willing witness for Christ, are needed. Men with lives rooted, not in the topsoil of the secular world, but in the rich loam of heaven, are the crying need of the day.

No life has any significance or justification, or worthwhile purpose apart from God.

How to make every man conscious of his need to fight for "God and the Right" within the framework of the Divine Society the church, is a task that needs doing. Members of such a dignified order as the Oddfellows, who are living God-centered lives, must by their influence and witness, cause many to become like minded.

If man will co-operate with God by being God centered and living complete lives, then the prophecy of Isaiah 61: 11 will come to pass.

He was assisted in the service by Bro. Chas. Carter, District Deputy Grand Master, who read the first lesson, Isaiah 61, and Miss Mary Hulin, Noble Grand of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, who read the second lesson, Luke 7: 1-17.

Special music included a duet, "The Stranger of Galilee," by Mrs. Burton Woodbeck and Miss Barbara Woodbeck.

Scouts And Cubs To Attend Church

The St. George's Service will be held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday, April 28th. Parents please take notice of this as the boys will not be meeting until after this service.

The Rover Scouts have a new flag which will be dedicated at this service.

Change In Posting

Sub-Lieutenant (S) Ross H. Hermiston, has been posted to the Naval Supply Depot, Montreal, as Base Supply Officer for a period of two years.

Accepts Position

Mrs. Roy Franks (nee Eleanor Wells), has accepted a position on the staff of the Queen Elizabeth Public School, Trenton. Her duties will commence September next.

To Honour Mr. and Mrs. A. Francis

Hastings County Junior Farmers will honour J. A. Francis, Associate Agricultural Representative, and Mrs. Francis, at a social evening and dance in the Stirling Community Hall on Tuesday evening next, April 23rd. Mr. Francis has been transferred to Halton and Peel Counties, to take effect May 1st.

Appendectomy

Friends of William Bentley, North St., will regret to learn that he underwent an appendectomy in Belleville General Hospital on Monday. The latest report is that he is progressing as well as can be expected.

Good Friday At The P.O.

Good Friday being a public holiday the public wicket at the local Post Office will be open from 8 to 9 a.m. only, and there will be no rural mail delivery. However, the public lobby will be open as usual during the day for the convenience of box holders.

On Easter Monday the public wicket will be open from 8 to 9 a.m. and rural delivery will be as usual.

No Paper Next Week

There will be no issue of the News-Argus on Thursday, April 25th, due to moving our plant to our new location on Front St. We regret any inconvenience to our advertisers and readers and ask your forbearance. —Editor

Joins Staff Local Garage

Bob Smith, of Madoc, has accepted a position as parts manager at Stirling Motor Sales, and began his duties on Monday. Mr. Smith has been employed in a similar capacity at Derry's Garage, Madoc, for two years and has a year's exeprience at General Motors Parts Dept., in Oshawa. He replaces M. Malloy, who resigned after a year's service.

Donald Gosleigh, a body mechanic and painter, has also rejoined the staff of Stirling Motor Sales.

Local and Personal

Miss Harriet Scott and Miss Mary Hume, Bowmanville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Macklin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Greenley and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brasford arrived home on Friday after a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carlisle and family spent the week-end with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Don Van Der Voort, Brantford.

Mrs. W. Hodgen, of Corbyville, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Duncan Montgomery, and Mr. Montgomery, Henry St.

Mrs. Russell Stapley is spending some time at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stapley, and family, Ancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. David Vice, who have spent several months on the west coast, are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good.

Mrs. Ray Armstrong returned to her home in Toronto Tuesday after spending the past six weeks with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Morton.

Foxboro Potato Club Organized

The motto, Head, Heart, Health and Hand was further substantiated on Tuesday evening last when Foxboro and district youths organized their first potato club. The wish of having a potato club was realized when some boys at Foxboro Public School requested the formation of some local 4-H club in which boys could enter as well as girls. Prior to this meeting held in the Foxboro school, the only

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Local Hardware Changes Hands

Graham Mouck, of Tweed, Buys McGee Hardware — Takes Possession May 2nd

A business transaction of interest took place on Monday afternoon, April 15th, when J. Clinton McGee sold his Hardware store on Mill St. To Mr. Graham Mouck, of Tweed.

"Clint," as he is popularly known, has been in the hardware business in this village for some fifty-nine years, having started with the late Lindsay Meiklejohn. Later he went into partnership with the late James Lagrow in the firm of McGee and Lagrow, and he has been in his present place of business since March 22nd, 1908.

The new owner, Mr. Mouck, will take possession May 2nd. For the past five years he has been employed by Cotton Hardware, Tweed. He is a Past Master of Tweed Lodge, No. 239, A.F. & A.M., and a lay reader of the Anglican Church. His wife is the former Marguerite Jeffrey, daughter of the late Charles Jeffrey and Mrs. Jeffrey, former residents of Rawdon Township.

Takes Course

Grant Stapley, of Stirling Motor Sales, is attending a three-day course on automatic transmission at General Motors, Oshawa, this week.

St. John's News

(By Rev. H. C. Secker)

We are in the midst of Holy Week. Here is an opportunity for all Christians to witness to their faith by keepinb this week free from all secular pleasures and unnecessary activities. When our loved ones die we usually mourn their loss for a certain period. Should we not do so as we commemorate the death of Our Saviour?

Baptismal Service

Two very good babies were baptized on Sunday, the sons of Ernest and Alta Carr and Claire and Betty Ackers. They were christened Grant Morris and Paul Douglas. Godparents for Grant Morris were Glen and Kenneth Morrow and Grandmother Carr. For Paul Douglas they were Doug and Doreen Ackers. These babies, being quite young, were well behaved. It is wisest to have children baptized very early. Why should the gift of the Holy Spirit which they receive be deferred. Christ said "suffer the little children to come unto me."

Services Sunday, April 28th

Services for Sunday, April 28th, Easter I, will be in the morning here. At the evening services in Glen Miller and Frankford, the Rev. Canon Hutchinson will be the preacher. This marks the 25th anniversary of the Rector's Ordination to the Priesthood. On the 29th, St. Mark's day, the Clergy of the Deanery will be here to celebrate the event with a service in the chapel at 11.00 a.m., followed by a luncheon at the Rectory.

- COMING EVENTS -

PLAN TO ATTEND THE EASTER Tea and Bake Sale at the home of Mrs. W. G. Fletcher on April 20th, 3 to 5 p.m., sponsored by Bethel W.A. Everyone welcome. Admission 25 cents. 13&16p

EGGLETON W.A. BAKE SALE, IN Harlow Block, Mill St., Stirling, on Saturday, May 11th at 2.00 p.m. 16-1

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF Stirling Horticultural Society will be held in Agricultural Board room on Thursday, April 25th at 8 p.m. Mrs. Stewart Mitchel, of Wooler, will show slides. All invited to attend. 16-1

ROVER SCOUT HARD TIME DANCE, Stirling Community Hall, Wednesday, April 24th, at 9 p.m. Madoc Music Makers. Admission 75c each. 16-1

SPECIAL SERVICES, FREE METHodist Church, Frankford, April 26th to May 5th. Week nights except Saturdays at 7.45 p.m.; Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Evangelists Miss Lois Richardson and Miss Carrie Hazzard, from Yardville, N.J. Everybody welcome. 16-1

Stirling W.I. Annual Meeting

Mrs. E. Foster, of Mill St., was hostess to the Stirling Women's Institute for their April meeting.

The president, Mrs. E. Foster called the meeting to order, and then conducted the opening exercises. Mrs. S. McMurray, secretary, called the roll — "Paying Your Dues", with fifteen ladies starting the Roll for the new term. The treasurer's report was omitted until the Annual report Mrs. C. W. West thanked the Society for the remembrance she received while she was ill.

On behalf of the Institute, Mrs. L. Bronson voiced appreciation to Mrs. E. Foster and Mrs. W. C. West, the buying committee, for their efforts in various phases of buying in the Institute's interest.

The secretary, Mrs. S. McMurray, with the assistance of Mrs. L. Rodgers, announced the names and addresses of the District Standing Committee Conveners, so that the local reports may be sent for their completion and presentation at the District Annual to be held in Stirling on June 6th, with Stirling Women's Institute as hostesses.

Mrs. L. Rodgers, District President, spoke on the proceedings of the executive meeting held in Belleville.

The Annual reports were given by the secrtary and treasurer, Mrs. S. McMurray and Mrs. W. C. West. Included in the activities for the year were —"An All Family Night" with the institutes of West and North Hastings as guests; placing a wreath in memory of "Our Boys" at the Cenotaph on Armistice Day; donations to Stirling Community Hall board and Stirling Santa Claus parade; represented at the local Fall Fair by serving delicacies at a booth; hostess to the 60th Anniversary of the District W.I.; Mrs. Armstrong, speaker from Home Economics Dept., Toronto, gave a day's instruction on "How to be a Good Officer", with Stirling W.I. as hostess; fruit or flowers were sent to members when ill; a white elephant sale was tried out; several ladies enjoyed a trip to Toronto to attend the Royal Winter Fair; the Birthday Box was an attractive feature for each month, also a prize was donated for the "lucky number;" card parties were held in the Hall as well as at homes and the members are very grateful to Mrs. W. C. West, Mrs. R. Williams and Mrs. Duncan Montgomery for opening their homes; a speaker, Miss Brant, of Belleville, gave an enlightening address on the Children's Aid Society; and lastly, but of great importance, the splendid generous contributions to the Salvation Army. Quilts were pieced and quilted by the W.I. and included in these bales of useful clothing.

Though the Women's Institute group here is small in number, a great deal of work has been done and each in her own way and style has performed her duties most willingly — a group of Willing Hands working for Home and Country.

The press reporter and Friendship Link correspondent, Mrs. Luella Bronson, has given a write-up to two newspapers of each meeting and any activities of the Women's Institute and also furnished the Institute News under the Crest each week. She also sent seventeen remembrances to shut-ins or elderly folk at Christmas, get-well wishes to the sick and conveyed the members' sympathy to those who mourned.

Mrs. E. Foster thanked the ladies for their wonderful co-operation during her two years as President.

Mrs. Foster donated a quilt top to the W.I. and Mrs. E. Ward donated money toward the completion of the quilt. A second quilt is now being pieced with one member, Mrs. Montgomery putting together 12 blocks.

A few arrangements were made re the District Annual lunch, with Mrs. Blanche Reid heading this committee.

Mrs. L. Rodgers conducted and installed the officers and standing committee conveners for the new term:

President, Mrs. E. Foster; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. B. Reid; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. W. H. Cooke; Secretary, Mrs. S. McMurray; Treasurer, Mrs. W. C. West; District Director, Mrs. R. Williams; Assistant, Mrs. McMurray; Director, Mrs. R. Bartlett; Song Leader, Mrs. B. Reid; Pianist, Mrs. R. Williams; Auditors, Mrs. D. Montgomery and Mrs. R. Williams; The Quilters, Mrs. C. Wright and Mrs. E. Foster; Property Committee, the President, Secretary and Mrs. Ward; Standing Committee Conveners—Health and Home Economics, Mrs. S. McMurray; Historical Research, Mrs. W. C. West; Agriculture, Mrs. B. Reid; Citizenship and Education, Mrs. E. Foster; Community Activities and Public Relations, Mrs. L. Bronson.

At the close, Mrs. L. Rodgers, thanked the ladies for their support during her term as District President. She also showed snapshots taken at the 60th W.I. Anniversary. The Travelling Gift prize was won by Mrs. R. Williams. Mrs. A. Gordaneer again celebrated a birthday — just 83 years young.

Owing to the great amount of business, the programme was limited, with the singing of "O Canada".

The Friendship Link Secretary, Mrs. Luella Bronson, gave information on the customs and living of a New Zealand, as the Friendship Link correspondent is from Auckland, New Zealand. "Would You Like Farming in New Zealand" was the topic. Farmers in many parts of the world, wonder how New Zealand, though separated from its markets by thousands of miles, and with a very small labour force, can produce so much cheese, butter, meat and wool, and do it so cheaply.

The answer, summed up, is—a favourable climate, community commercial activities and an acting united body.

Though you cannot hear the grass grow on these blessed Pacific Isles, you can see it cover the lands like a vivid green carpet all the year round. Snow is practically unkown. All of 35 million sheep and the several million cattle, mostly Jersey, find their nourishment by grazing the full year. Thirty-three thousand odd milking machines are in use in New Zealand and each farmer has from 40 to 120 milking cows. The finest of wool is sold from their sheep. Twelve million fat lambs for export each year adds materially to the nation's economy. In the entertainment line there are only radio and wireless, no T.V.

The correspondent is the treasurer of her Institute branch and mentioned that there are over one thousand Institutes in New Zealand.

Mrs. Bronson pointed to the Island from her geography book so the members could acquaint themselves more thoroughly to the history of this prosperous and economical Island.

The meeting closed with the repeating of the Lord's Prayer. The hostess and Mrs. McMurray served a dainty lunch.

Mrs. D. Montgomery most graciously extended "thanks" to the hostess and committee for the profitable and delightful afternoon.

Music Supervisor

Miss Carol Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Connor, of Tweed, who is attending The Royal Conservatory of Music, Toronto, has accepted a position as Music Supervisor in the Public Schools of Trenton. She will have under her supervision, the five schools in the Trenton Elementary School system, with fifty classrooms and fifteen hundred pupils under her charge. Her duties will commence in September.

Rest On Monday

(St. Catharines Standard)

All-day closing of retail stores on Mondays in Ontario has been predicted. Well, if people must keep on the move on Sunday, instead of resting, then a Monday holiday will permit them to stay home and rest.

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St. Paul's Notes

(By Rev. A. Packman)

Sigma-C meeting on Friday last regretted the absence of one of its members, Firth Bateman. Sigma-C decided to do something about it and as a result a card was sent to Firth and each member contributed a pictorial. These reached Firth next day in the Belleville Hospital.

Sigma-C will meet on Good Friday at St. Paul's, each boy should bring a light lunch and be prepared to go into the country for a hike. Meeting at 2.00 p.m.

Sunday School parents are asked to note that the Sunday School Anniversary will be held in Sunday, May 26th at 11.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Scholars will be expected to be in Church for the morning service. The Principal of Queen's Theological College will conduct the services that day.

The Stirling Festival of Sacred Praise will be held on Monday and Tuesday, May 27th and 28th. Syllabus may be had from Mrs. Albert Fraser, 51 John Street, Stirling.

Holy Week

A earlier reaction to formalism on the part of Protestant bodies is no justification for the tendency to neglect the importance of this season. As a matter of fact, I very much doubt whether the average Protestant knows what it was all about. I would not care to conclude that he does not know what it is all about.

Palm Sunday saw Jesus entering the city of men who had declared its intention of destroying Him. Among the laughingly happy people who shouted "Hosannah" He was the obviously unhappy central figure. Sad, because His people did not understand.

Good Friday is not a holiday, it is the day on which Jesus was offered up for the sins of the world. Our conduct should fit in with the occasion.

As true now as it has always been is the fact that there can be no revelation of God to those who are insincere. Let us all show by our example, by our presence in our own Church on Good Friday and Easter Sunday, our awareness of Christ's gift to our own need.

A Traveller's Note Book

The next time I meet a Bell Telephone repair man, I'm going to touch my hat to him, just in case it is the man who was so kind and helpful to a sick lady recently.

It seems that the lady, confined to her bed for many weeks, is sometimes left alone in the house. Her folk were worried about this. The telephone being at a distance from the bed, and the lady not being able to move to it, arrangements were made for an extension cord.

The man came, lengthened the cord and placed the phone just where the invalid could use it. Before leaving, he said: "There, that will be easier for you and I do hope that it will be both convenient and a comfort to you."

The Week's Work

It's been a two-sided week, one bright, the other sad. Sickness and sorrow and a multitude of problems. However, even the sad side is lighted up sometimes in ways that are really wonderful.

A sick person told me that the neighbours have been so good to her. Some have been in to clean the house through; others have done the laundry, and ladies from Stirling have even cooked a meal and taken it to that home.

All of which is first class religion.

Two Worlds In One City

I am told that a smiling face is about as rare in East Berlin as daffodils in November. I can believe it.

It is a city of stamping officials. Either they are stamping their feet or some person's papers, meanwhile staring at the bearer with a cold and cruel eye.

West Berlin is another matter. A recent picture reveals a growing geographical change taking place. A hill of rubble from the bombed buildings is growing into a mountain. It is planned to plant shrubs and trees on the hill when it is finished; it may even become a playground for the kiddies.

I'll spend an hour on our own Oak Hills before long. The time is nearly come when the views will be at their best. It's necessary to pull up if you want to see the river as it should be seen. It is certainly worth an idle minute. And I'll thank God that I am not in East Berlin!

The Rolling Road

Stories of the open road are numerous, we seldom think of the story behind our own car as we drive it over our roads. There is a story or two, of course. Before the car, the "Old Grey Mare." Before that, a rough rude cart drawn by oxen perhaps; and a long way back now, the fleet-footed Redskin.

Away back of the English Road would be the story of a lady of quality whose coach was drawn by six oxen. The Victorian bicycle rider was called a "Cad on casters."

More interesting would be the stage coach, drawn by the post horses from which the Post Office derives its name. And that would, of course, bring us into the land of the Highwaymen and stories that would put some of the Westerners in the shade.

People And Words

"Every human being is a genius at thinking up excuses for his misdeeds and bad habits." —Prince Philip.

"Peaceful co-existence does not mean a quiet life." —Dimitri Shepilov, ex-Foreign Minister Soviet.

He's telling whom?

Tail Piece

Two men were talking in a Toronto eating house. One dropped a dime. A nearbby waiter seeing it, rushed to pick it up. Handing it to the gentleman who dropped it, he said, "You dropped this Sir."

"I did not," said the gentleman.

"But you did Sir. I saw you drop it," replied the waiter.

"I tell you I did not drop that coin," insisted the customer.

The waiter pocketing the coin eased off.

The second man said to the first: "Look, what's wrong with you. I saw you drop that coin. Why did you not tell the waiter so?"

"I'm not that simple," said his friend, "It would have cost me two bits."

—Pharos

Jehovah's Witnesses Protest To Russia

Charging that Soviet officials "may perhaps be found fighters actually against God", a strongly worded letter of protest from officials of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society, legal governing body of Jehovah's Witnesses, has been sent to Premier Nikolai A. Bulganin of the U.S.S.R.

Walton Lidster, presiding minister of the Trenton congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, in announcig the contents of the letter, cited the wholesale arrests and mass movements of Jehovah's Witnesses to slave labor camp in Siberia.

"For many years now," Mr. Lidster quoted the letter as saying. "Jehovah's Witnesses within the Soviet Union have endured great difficulties and heavy persecution. They have constituted committees and delegations from among their own ministers for the purpose of registering their religious organization according to the statutes in force, but on each occasion they have been rebuffed and instead of being allowed to register their Christian organization they have had ministers in the delegations arrested."

St. Mark's W.A. And Guild, Bonarlaw

The April meeting of St. Mark's W.A. and Guild, Bonarlaw, was held at the home of Mrs. D. Wellman. The president occupied the chair. After the singing of a hymn the Rector presided over the devotional period. The Scripture, being the Epistle for Palm Sunday, was read by Mrs. George Mumby. Roll call was answered with a Lenten prayer by each member.

The Treasurer's report was received, which included the pot luck dinner held on the 29th of March. The Dorcas Secretary reported two quilts completed in the month, one for shipment and the other for a church member. Plans were made to complete another quilt to be added to a shipment of used clothing. The articles for this will be turned in at the May meeting when it will be decided where the shipment will be sent.

The thankoffering was received. This will be presented by the delegate at the annual meeting in May.

Mission study was continued, the country this month being Thailand — the land of the free. The meeting was closed by the Rector with prayer, and a vote of thanks was tendered to the hostess.

A reading was given dealing with Lenten customs and the Easter season by Mrs. Mumby.

Mrs. Strickland's Sister, Mrs. E. Irvin Dies In Tweed

Following a lengthy illness, Mrs. Emily Irvin, wife of William D. Irvin, of Tweed, passed away at her home on Tuesday, April 9th.

Born in Tweed 81 years ago, she had resided in Hungerford Township before moving to Tweed ninteen years ago.

The late Mrs. Irvin was a lifelong member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, the Ladies' Aid and W.M.S.

She was married on September 7th, 1898, and she and her husband would have celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary this year.

Surviving besides her husband are one son, Ralph, Actinolite; a daughter, Myrtle, of Toronto, and a grandchild, Paul Irvin, of Bancroft; also a brother, Thomas H. Alexander, of Picton, and a sister, Mrs. E. P. (Mary) Strickland, of Stirling.

The funeral took place on Friday afternoon, April 12th from the W. M. Bush Funeral Home, Tweed, to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, were the service was conducted by Rev. M. W. Heslip, of Madoc, assisted by Rev. W. K. Pace, of St. John's United Church.

Interment was made in the family plot in Bethel Cemetery. The pallbearers were all nephews: Clarence and Carmen Fitchett, Stirling; Russell and Howard Alexander, Picton; Alex Strickland, of Bloomfield, and Harry VanVlack, Kingston. —Tweed

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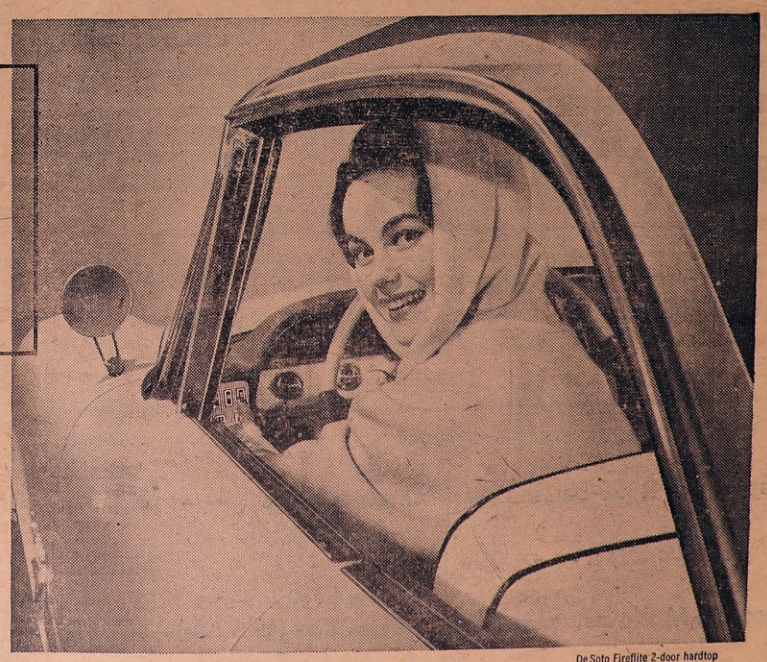

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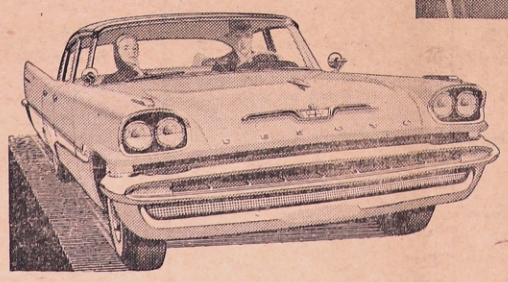

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Stirling —
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Special Easter Service.
On Sunday, April 28th at 11.00 a.m. Scouts, Guides, Brownies and Cubs Service.

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2.15 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—Easter Service
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EASTER DAY

Stirling —
8.15 a.m.—Holy Eucharist
10.00 a.m.—Church School
Glen Miller — 10.00 a.m., H.C.
Frankford — 11.00 a.m., H.E.

Good Friday —
7.30 p.m.—Stirling
10.30 a.m.—Glen Miller
2.30 p.m.—Frankford

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL CHARGE
Rev. Arthur Packman, Minister

Good Friday —
10.00 a.m.— St. Paul's, Confirmations

EASTER SUNDAY

St. Paul's —
10.00 a.m.—Church School
Scripturer's Group
Bible Class in the Parsonage
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion

Carmel —
2.00 p.m.—Church School and Bible Class
2.45 p.m.—Holy Communion

Rawdon Pastoral Charge
Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

EASTER
10.00 a.m.—Mount Pleasant, Worship Service
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.15 a.m.—Wellman's, Worship Service
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
7.30 p.m.—Bethel, Easter Canolelight Service in charge of Girl's Club
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School

On Sunday, April 28th, Confirmation Services will be held at Bethel and Mount Pleasant and Holy Communion at all appointments.

GRACE CHAPEL

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY
— SERVICES —

Sunday —
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

Mount Pleasant

The annual Easter W.M.S. thank-offering will be gathered on Easter Sunday morning. The 1957 allocation is the same as last year, $445.00 for Auxiliary, Mission Band and Baby Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Potts recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine and Miss Doris Sine, of Stirling.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp were Mrs. Richard Post and Mrs. C. McBride, of Belleville; Miss Duncan McBeth, of Madoc; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Tweedie and family, Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wrightman, of Trenton, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher and Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended the annual Divine Service of the I.O.O.F. and Laurel Rebekah Lodge at St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, on Sunday.

The nights are still cold enough to freeze ice and on Monday morning, April 15th there was a good thickness of ice at eight a.m.

Mrs. Sid Williams attended a shower Friday evening in honour of Miss Carolyn Rollins, bride-to-be

We extend congratulations to former residents, Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies, now residing at Mill Street, Stirling, who will quietly celebrate their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary on Wednesday, April 17th.

On Palm Sunday afternoon Mrs. Marguerite McMullen sang, "From the Manger to the Cross."

Mrs. Milford Wrightman and Allen spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Farrar, Trenton.

Central Cheese Factory began operations on Tuesday, April 16th with Mr. Thos. Sarles again in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Potts recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine and Miss Doris Sine, Stirling.

Mrs. Vera Sine, Trenton, spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jeffs and family. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Madill, of Port Hope spent Wednesday at the same home.

We extend birthday felicitations to Mrs. Fred Jeffs, who will reach her 87th milestone on Saturday, April 20th.

There will be a Good Friday Service at Mount Pleasant at 8.00 p.m.

Mrs. Sid Williams spent a couple of days this week in Trenton with relatives.

Mrs. Arthur Andrews (a former News-Argus correspondent) will attain her eighty-fifth birthday anniversary on Sunday, April 28th and we extend felicitations from her many friends.

Mrs. Marguerite McMullen plans to spend the Easter week-end at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Percy White, Brantford.

Well folks, we won't be with you again until May, as next week is a holiday. It will seem strange to us to have the News-Argus in a new location. This scribe has written this weekly column since January 1912, beginning her duties while a student at S.S. No. 4 "The Williams Public School." Through the years there have been a number of changes with new machinery added. We wish the editor and staff every success in their new abode.

W.M.S. Meeting

Twenty ladies and several children attended the Easter W.M.S. meeting at the home of Mrs. Herbert Smith on Wednesday, April 10th. Mrs. Milford Wrightman used as an opening devotional the W.M.S. leaflet, "A Lively Hope," by Miss Florence McNair. Mrs. John Holmes officiated at the piano and all sang "The Day of Resurrection." Mrs. Percy MacMullen read a special prayer and meditation. Mrs. Grant Hubble read the Bible Lesson and all sang " Rejoice the Lord is King."

The Secretary gave her report and the keyword was "Easter Thoughts." Fifteen members answered the roll call. The Treasurer reported $7.50 for March and she has remitted $35.44 to the Presbyterial Treasurer. Thanks was expressed for hospitality, programme and to Mrs. Smith for taking charge of the meetings. Miss Carolyn Merrick gathered the offering which Mrs. Frank Jeffs dedicated.

The Citizenship Secretary brought a message from "The Bible in the World," telling of the Foreign Bible Society. The Community Friendship Secretary recorded the calls made.

The President outlined the study chapter, "Indonesia, the Young Republic." In 1950 the National Council of Churches was formed and this represents 2,225,000 christians. Medical needs are serious with one doctor for every fifty thousand persons. The World Health Organization is trying to combat malaria and tuberculosis.

Mrs. Kenneth Weaver arranged the Easter programme and she read, "The Resurrection Story." Mrs. Will McAdam and Mrs. Eric Summers sang "The Old Rugged Cross." Mrs. Grant Hubble read a poem entitled, "Barrabas." Mrs. H. Smith read the Easter Bible Lesson. The convener read a meditation on the theme, "Where seek ye the Christ?" The service closed with the singing of "Christ the Lord is Risen Today" and an Easter prayer.

The hostess and her assistants served light refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Madoc Junction

Mrs. Maurice Clancy was among the ones from Stirling L.O.B.A. No. 655, that attended Grand Lodge at Brockville on Wednesday.

Choice practice for the Easter Service was held Friday night at the school.

Rev. Leslie Hardy, Mrs. Hardy, Murray, Paul and baby, of Coe Hill, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett and Mrs. Maurice Clancy attended the funeral service for the former's aunt, the late Mrs. William Irvin, which was held in the Presbyterian Church at Tweed on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelly and Billy, of Warkworth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow on Saturday.

Friends here were shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Mr. Bruce Armstrong on Saturday. A number from here attended the funeral service which was held at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clancy and Lloyd were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson, of Actinolite.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett and Mrs. Warren Harlow called on Mrs. A. Andrews at the Cain Rest Home on Sunday.

Eggleton W.M.S. And W.A.

The April meeting of Eggleton W.M.S. and W.A. was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clarence Fitchett. Miss Joyce Stapley played soft music on the piano.

Mrs. Bruce Stapley, W.M.S. President, presided over a programme prepared by Mrs. Warren Harlow, and opened the meeting with the singing of the hymn, "There's a Hill Lone and Grey."

The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Wm. McMullen, who read the first 19 verses of the 19th chapter of St. John. Mrs. Harlow gave the commentary on the Easter lesson and Mrs. Carl Bridges led in prayer.

An interesting reading, "What Is Easter," was given in two partts by Miss J. Stapley and Mrs. M. Clancy. Mrs. Robert Danford and Mrs. Chas. Stapley sang the lovely Easter hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross."

The Secretary read the minutes and gave the roll call, which was answered by 12 members, who repeated their favourite verse of Scripture. Several children were also present at the meeting. The hymn, "On Calvary's Brow My Saviour Died," was sung. Little Carol Danford gathered the offering. A few articles for the Missionary Bale were handed in and the other members were requested to bring their donations to the May meeting. Two letters of thanks were read.

Mrs. Carl Bridges took charge for the W.A. business period. Mrs. Bruce Stapley offered her home for the May meeting and Mrs. Gordon Nelson will prepare the programme. The Treasurer was instructed to pay the bills for flowers and church blinds. A few members handed in articles for the Fall bazaar.

Mrs. Fitchett, with map illustration, gave the chapter from the study book, "Indo China — a Land Divided."

Mrs. Stapley thanked Mrs. Fitchett for her home, Mrs. Harlow the programme convener, and all those who had taken part on the programme. The meeting closed with the singing of "Low in the Grave He Lay" and repeating the Mizpah Benediction.

The hostess served refreshments and all enjoyed a social half hour.

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My store has been sold to Mr. Graham Mouck, of Tweed, who has had some five years in the business of Cotton Hardware. Mrs. Mouck is the former Marguerite Jeffrey, of Stirling and Rawdon Township.

Mrs. McGee, my family and myself, all heartily wish Mr. and Mrs. Mouck the very best of success in their new project. We trust you, our friends and customers, will give to them the whole hearted support you have given to us in the past.

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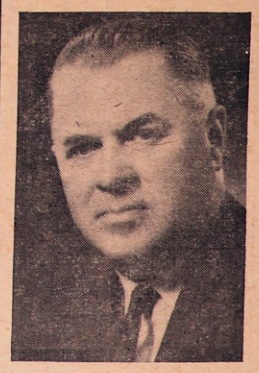

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

NEW VARIETY POTATO TO BE PLANTED THIS YEAR

A new scab-resistant variety of potato will be planted this year by about 75 Ontario potato growers, reports the Field Crops Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. The new variety named "Huron" was licensed under the Canadian Seeds Act in December 1956. It originated at the Experimental Farm, Fredericton, N.B., and has been subjected to various tests, including those of Ontario Regional and the Ontario Scab Research Committee.

The "Huron" variety has been grown and multiplied under Certification inspection for the past two years. Approximately 1,000 75-lb. bags of Certified Foundation Seed are available and have been allocated by a Foundation Seed Committee to Certified Seed Growers in the province.

Characteristics of the new Huron variety are as follows:

(1) High yielding (35% higher than Katahdin in Ontario trials over a 3 year period).

(2) Higher in total solids than Katahdin — 19.5% versus 18.5% over a 3 year period.

(3) Moderately resistant to common scab especially the pitted type.

(4) Immune in the field to virus B; resistant to virus A and Y; susceptible to leaf roll and verticillium wilt; highly resistant to early blight but moderately susceptible to late blight.

(5) Under dry conditions exhibits a curling of the leaves which is difficult to distinguish from the virus leaf roll.

(6) Very late maturing — later than Sebago.

(7) Tubers resist skinning during harvesting. Tubers not as smooth as Katahdin; apical eyes medium deep under certain growing conditions.

(8) Has superior cooking quality to Katahdin and resists after-cooking darkening.

The introduction of this new variety could mean that many sections of the province which no longer grow potatoes because of the high incidence of scab organism in their alkali soils, may again be able to produce a top quality product and help meet the demands of our growing population.

CARE AND ADJUSTMENT OF THE GRAIN-FERTILIZER DRILL

The grain drill is the key implement in producing a grain crop, states Prof. J. R. Scott, Department of Agricultural Engineering, Ontario College, No matter how well the land has been fertilized and the seedbed prepared, or how favourable the weather may be, the maximum yield will not be realized unless the seed is sown uniformly and at the correct rate.

The modern grain drill is not a highly complicated machine, but it does have many important component parts, each of which must function properly if accurate, uniform seed placement is to be the result.

The addition of the fertilizer box and feed mechanism in the modern grain drill has resulted in the problem of preventing corrosion of the working parts by the acids resulting when fertilizer is damp. This problem is so serious that the life span of a drill, which for ordinary grain drills in the past used to be around 40 years, has been shortened to a mere 10 years or less for our modern grain-fertilizer drills. Proper treatment is vital and will extend the useful life of the machine.

Before the drill is taken out of the implement shed it should be given a quick checkover to make sure that all mechanical components are ready for the field. The following is suggested as a checkover plan to follow:

(1) Check the grain, fertilizer, and grass hoppers to be sure that no forgotten wrenches, spare chain links, or loose parts are lying there to jam the mechanism when you start to work.

(2) Make sure that the drive parts move freely by turning them with a pair of pliers or pipe wrench.

(3) Check that chain tighteners are taking up all of the slack in the chains and that bolts holding the tighteners and those holding counter-shaft bearings, levers, and other important parts are firmly tightened.

(4) Make sure that the disc furrow openers turn freely and that the pressure springs are set to a uniform pressure.

(5) Test the air pressure in the tires.

(6) Lubricate the drill completely, following the instruction book recommendations. Use a good grade of pressure gun grease and heavy machine oil as directed. Do not use oil drained from an engine crankcase; it contains acids which will corrode bearing surfaces.

Detailed information on the care and adjustment of the grain-fertilizer drill is obtainable in Ontario Department of Agriculture Circular, 272, available now at the office of the Agricultural Representative.

The firm's President was a bit curious about a cutie just hired as a secretary by a vice-president. "Can she add, or type, or take shorthand?" he asked.

"No," said the vice-president. "But she certainly can distract."

From Behind

Dealing with these aggravating drivers who stay too close behind for comfort, an editorial in the Canadian Motorists, points out that only the driver ahead can reform the driver behind.

At the same time, some ways of disposing of the menace are suggested: Pull over to the right and slow down a little; encourage him to pass; touch your brakes lightly, enough to flash your stop lights, to hint broadly that a stop may be coming up so that he'll fall back. A safety hint is included — stop short of the white line at intersections (this is also sound practice at railway crossings), you are less likely to be bunted into the intersection if the fellow behind runs into you. A similar precaution, although not mentioned, is in a proposed left turn, keep your wheels straight until you are in the clear to make the turn. With wheels turned, being bumped from the rear can shove you into the path of an oncoming car.

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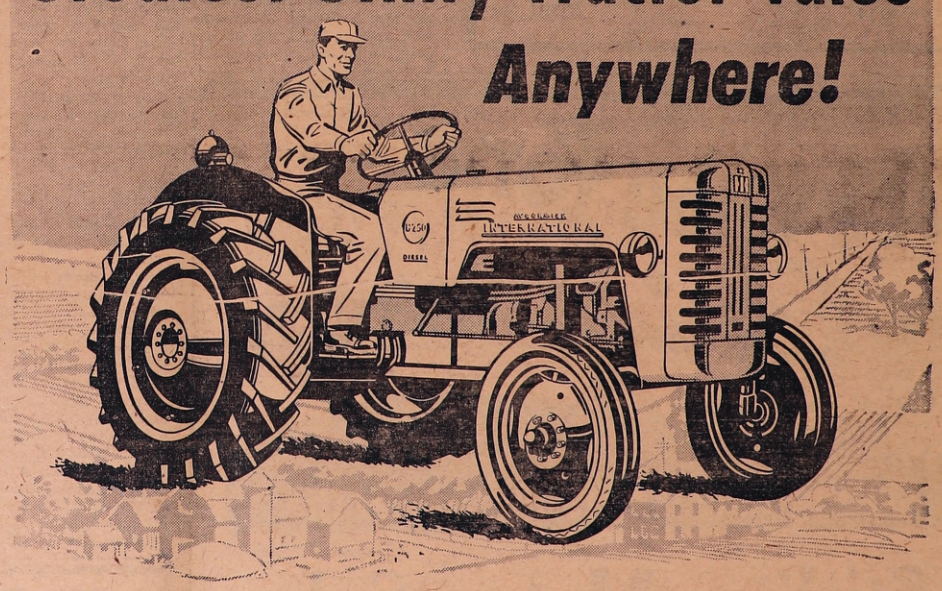

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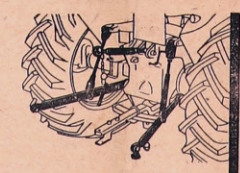

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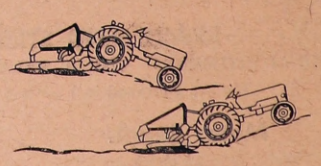

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Yvonne Petherick — Eng. 3rd, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. F, Geog. C, Home Ec. 3rd.

Al Plewis — Eng. 3rd, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. F, Geog. 3rd, Shop C.

John Ray — Eng. C, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. C, Anc. Hist. C, Geog. C, Shop 1st.

Margaret Ray — Eng. 3rd, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. 2nd, Lat. 2nd, Anc. Hist. 3rd, Home Ec. 2nd.

Joanne Reid — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 1st, Ag. Sc. 3rd, Fr. 2nd, Lat. 2nd, Anc, Hist. 2nd, Home Ec. 1st.

Marilyn Reid — Alg. C.

Carol Sine — Eng. F, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. C, Home Ec. 2nd.

Linda Sine — Eng. 2nd, Alg. 1st, Ag. Sc. 2nd, Fr. 3rd, Lat. 1st, Anc. Hist. 2nd, Home Ec. 1st.

Ellen Trenear — Eng. C, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Anc. Hist. F, Geog. F, Home Ec. 2nd.

Jean Twiddy — Eng. C, Alg. F, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Lat. F, Anc. Hist. C, Home Ec. C.

Joan Twiddy — Eng. C, Alg. 2nd, Ag. Sc. F, Fr. F, Lat. F, Anc. Hist. C, Home Ec. 3rd.

Barbara Woodbeck — Eng. 1st, Alg. 1st, Ag. Sc. 1st, Fr. 1st, Anc. Hist. 1st, Home Ec. 1st.

Grade 10A

Mildred Morton 92, Yvonne King 84, Janice Coombes 83, Michael Long 81, Raeburn Scott 81, Raye David 78, Carol Ray 76, Reg McCurdy 70, Denton Shortt 67, Eddy Mayhew 66, James Waterfall 66, Marilyn Rose 65, Jeanette Ayrhart 65, Beverly Wannamaker 64, Allan Mac Connell 63, Janet Tompkins 63, Paul Tyrer 61, Roger Smith 60, Victoria Armstrong 56, Marjorie McArton 55, Ray Spencer 55, Diane Richardson 53, Shirley Cotton 52, Sadie Russett 51, Marlene Crowe 49, David Potts 45, Marilyn McConnell 44, Jerrine Spry 41, Marian Reid 39.

Grade 10B

Sandra West 77, Dawn Hubel 77, Joan Stapley 74, Beverley Wallace 73, Carol Reid 71, Gail Sine 71, Burnard Beckett 70, Jean Sutherland 69, Lois Vardy 69, Dorothy Johnston 69, Edmund Fleming 66, Gary Rose 65, Glenn Heagle 64, Robert Beare 64, Dale Martin 64, Donalda Heath 62, Douglas Faires 57, Barbara Green 57, Wendy Warren 57, Floyd Jenkins 56, Ken Van Wyngaarden 56, Emmy Zuidema 54, Heather Rodgers 53, Charles Spencer 50, Margaret Brooks 48, Jean McGee 42, Fred Palmer 42, Reg Maxwell 41.

Grade 9A

Ronald Heath 90, Gail Jeffs 87, Claire Craighead 83, Jean Tompkins 82, James Gray 82, Lenie Vreugdenhil 78, Robert Secker 72, Robert Noble 71, Constance Fry 70, Gerrit DeBruyn 68, Glen Stewart 67, Allan Johnston 62, Janet Reid 62, John Haggerty 62, Marilyn Conley 61, Patsy Woodcox 61, Allyn Warren 61, James Wallace 61, Betty Hanna 60, Paul Jeffs 60, Grant Reid 57, Byron Aide 56, John Long 56, David Bell 55, Pauline Wilson 55, Robert Burrell 54, Bill Morgan 54, Melville White 50, James Barron 46, Judith Farrell 46, Bill Fraser 43, Laurie Healey 34.

Grade 9B

Jack Bailey 94, Gary Mason 78, Joyce Harry 76, Gerald Danford 75, Lyle Couch 74, Bernice McCurdy 74, Robert Clarke 73, Harold Sarles 72, Doug Fitzpatrick 70, Norma Petherick 68, John Huffman 66, Hugh Hoard 65, Paul Bridges 64, Joe Hagerman 61, Tinka Visser 58, Lambertus Klompmaker 58, Shirley Broadworth 57, Gerard Ryan 57, Joan King 54, Gordon Wannamaker 51, Jean Grills 50, George Mumby 50, Richard Martin 49, Elspeth Robb 48, Allan Mack 48, Harold Wood 43, Glenn Scott 40, Sheila Wood 38, Beverley McInroy 38, Ronald Whiteman 37, Robert Neal 28.

St. Paul's W.M.S.

A shining white cross entwined with an Easter lily, an open Bible in front and flanked by white candles on a purple table cover, formed a beautiful setting for the Easter meeting of St. Paul's W.M.S.

The President, Mrs. Geo. Carlisle, opened the meeting with a poem, "Calvary and Easter," followed by prayer. The theme of the worship service was "A Lively Hope." Mrs. Carlisle gave the call to worship from Psalm 42: 5; 1st Peter 1:3, and Job 11: 18, followed by prayer. The hymn, "The Day of Resurrection," was sung.

Mrs. W. Brown led in prayer. Mrs. Elmer Post read First Corinthians 15: 19-22 and 51-57. Mrs. Carlisle read a meditation of "A Lively Hope." Mrs. E. Eggleton led in a litany of praise. "Rejoice, the Lord is King," was sung and all repeated the benediction.

Mrs. E. Eggleton introduced the speaker, Mrs. W. T. Elliott, who chose as her subject, "Invisible Gateways," which was most interesting and inspiring. She spoke of the gateway to Spring, to Lent, to knowledge. The gateway that God opens for us if we will follow Him as the Israelites followed the pillar of fire by night and cloud by day.

In the Sermon on the Mount Jesus said," Enter ye at the strait gate." We must have self discipline and be careful of our influence. She mentioned the message that Jan Styka's great painting of "The Crucifixion" has conveyed to thousands in Europe and America before the great artist died in 1925 and will still convey for years to come in the beautiful "Hall of the Crucifixion" in Forest Lawn Memorial Park in Glendale, California.

In Revelation 3:8 St. John writes to the church in Philadelphia, "Behold, I have set before thee an open door, and no man can shut it." Missionaries are still opening doors and gateways to salvation throughout the world.

Finally let us remember there is a gateway no man can close for us — the gateway through which we must pass alone.

Mrs. C. Macklin and Mrs. H. Philp sang the beautiful duet, "Alone," with Mrs. H. West as accompanist.

Mrs. Sid Williams reported 34 house calls and four hospital calls. Mrs. M. Bell reported 3 quilts completed and two more ready to quilt.

Mrs. V. Richardson reporting for Christian Citizenship, gave some thoughts on "Keeping pace with modern problems in education."

Mrs. Carlisle led in prayer for our missionaries.

Mrs. Eggleton and her committee invited the members to the west room for tea, where spring flowers and pink and white candles graced the lace covered table.

Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maidment and Charles, of Port Hope, visited Saturday with Mrs. Charles Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley and girls were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley and girls and Mrs. Charles Dunham spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Dunham and family, Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McQuigge and Wayne, of Peterborough, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McQuigge, of Havelock, visited over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Johnson.

Mrs. M. J. Green and son, Wellington, and friend, of Campbellford, and Mr. Fred King, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forran, Picton, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham.

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